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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA MYRON M. HITCH

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At approximately 1:30 p.m., on 6/12/68, RICHARD ALLEN KIEN, Public Relations Director, California Campaign for Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, advised that he understands DICK LUBICK of KHJ-TV, Los Angeles, California, was a witness to the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY on 6/5/68.

LEAD

Contact DICK LUBICK, KHJ-TV, Los Angeles, California, telephone number 462-2133, and set up an interview relative to any information he may possess relating to the KENNEDY shooting.

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DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA LLOYD D. JOHNSON

SUBJECT: KENSALT

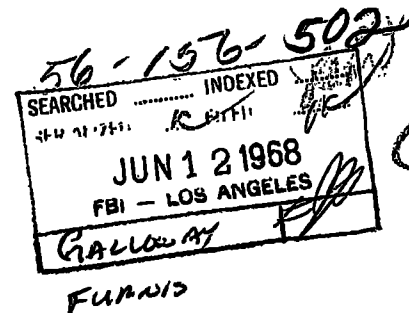
On 6/8/68, CAROL FRANCIS NEAL, Garden Grove, California, advised she had attended Elliot Junior High School with SIRHAN SIRHAN in Altadena, California, in the 1959-1960 school year. Among the students NEAL recalled who had attended class with SIRHAN was one BONNIE BRABBS.

On 6/12/68, Mr. and Mrs. ARTHUR B. BRABBS, 2110 N. Roosevelt, Altadena, advised their daughter was married and was residing at the following address, where she could be reached during the day:

BONNIE BRABBS PITTROFF
~~752 Shelmar, Apt. 4,~~
Costa Mesa, California
(646-1700)

LEAD: LOS ANGELES, AT COSTA MESA: Will interview BONNIE PITTROFF for any information she may have concerning the background or activities of SIRHAN, and also determine if she attended high school or college with SIRHAN.

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Date: 6/10/68

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
 FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)
 KENSALT

On 6/7/68, THOMAS MULLIGAN, JR., 1833 Channing Way, Berkeley, Calif., employed at Golden Gate Fields, Albany, Calif., as Head Usher, advised SA DAVID E. TODD that press reports indicated that SIRHAN SIRHAN had been employed at one time by the Rex Ellsworth-Misch Tenney Thoroughbred Breeding Enterprises in Southern California.

MULLIGAN stated that about two years ago, while he was working at Del Mar Race Track, he learned that MISCH TENNEY had been affiliated with some radical group, believed by him to be the Peace and Freedom Party of Phoenix, Arizona, and that TENNEY had attended a convention of this group at Chicago that year, and had also passed out literature of the organization around Del Mar.

He stated he was reporting this due to the possibility that TENNEY may have had some influence on SIRHAN's political views.

TENNEY is now a trainer of horses running at Hollywood Park.

MULLIGAN requested that information reported by him not be given to any racing or union personnel, since he was concerned that the fact he had made a report to FBI might jeopardize his job.

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Memorandum

TO : ~~ME~~ SAC, Los Angeles (56-156-46)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA Robert L. Boyd

SUBJECT: GUILLERMO EDMUNDO HUAMAN ARQUEDAS
KENSALT

On 6/5/68, Jack Neimark, Owner, Hims And Hers, 309 E. 8th Street, Los Angeles, California, telephonically contacted the office and advised that one Guillermo Huaman, who works at his company as a floor boy had said that he was going to kill Kennedy. He said that subject was kind of "Kookie" and no one at the company liked him. He also said that the subject was late the date of the complaint.

On 6/12/68, the subject came to the office and advised that some agents of the FBI were looking for him and he did not know why.

He was interviewed and furnished the following information;

He said that he has been working at the Him and Her dress factory for 8 months as a floor boy, which is mainly a janitor. He said that most of the people who work there are women. He had an argument with a couple of women about a month or so ago and they have been complaining to the boss about everything that he does. They said that he was slow and lazy and did not want to work. He said that they made up things about him to tell the boss. He advised that he quit his job on June 5, 1968, and at the present time is looking for another job. He does not speak very good English, therefore it is hard for him to get a good job.

He was arrested by the Los Angeles Police for car theft when he was around 24 years old, and was sentenced to serve 60 days in jail. He was married at the time and had two children. His wife left with the children and another man while he was in jail. He has since obtained a divorce, and has to pay support to the court for the children. He doesn't know where his wife is living.

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He stated that he does not like politics and has never been a member of any organization. He said that he liked the Kennedys and did not see why anyone would kill them. He said that he had never heard of Sirhan before the assassination of Robert Kennedy, and he knows of no one who would wish to assassinate any person.

He furnished the following description of himself:

Name: GUILLERMO EDMUNDO HUAMAN ARQUEDAS
AGE: 26
DOB: 9/8/41
POB: Peru
Date of Entry: 8/18/61, Miami, Florida
Height: 5' 7"
Weight: 155 lbs.
Scars: Small scar left forehead
Small red and blue tatoo left bicep
with letters USA
Education: 7 years
SS: [REDACTED]
Address: Exx Babette Apartments
1320 West Fifth St. #422
Los Angeles, Calif.
Phone: Under name of the above apartment house
Build: slender
Complexion: Medium
Hair: Black, long
Eyes: Brown
Appearance: Indian(from South America)

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 6/9/68

ROBERT HOUSTON, 115 East 86th Street, New York,
New York, telephone number SA 2-9126, furnished the following
information:

He advised that on June 7, 1968, he received a letter from a former friend, GERALD AMSTER, also known as Gerhardt Von Amster, and provided this letter voluntarily. The envelope to this letter was postmarked June 5, 1968, A.M., Los Angeles, California, addressed to BOB HOUSTON, 115 East 86th Street, New York, New York. The letter enclosed in the envelope stated the following:

"Bob,

"By the time you get this letter you will know that Kennedy was shot".

This letter was signed with an undetermined initial.

HOUSTON advised that he first met AMSTER approximately five years ago, while taking an advanced English Grammar course at Columbia University, New York, New York. He advised that he and AMSTER became friends and associated together until AMSTER left New York City to go to California, two years ago. HOUSTON advised that he has not seen AMSTER since this time, but has received collect telephone calls from AMSTER periodically.

HOUSTON described AMSTER as a conservative Republican, who is pro-Nazi and anti-Jewish. HOUSTON stated AMSTER liked to associate with Latin-American people,

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On 6/8/68 at New York, New York File # NY 44-1640

by SA ROBERT W. FISCHER, Jr. RWF:kmb

Date dictated 6/8/68

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especially Arabic individuals. HOUSTON advised that AMSTER speaks Arabic and other languages.

HOUSTON advised that AMSTER identifies himself as a German, but is an American. He stated that AMSTER made frequent trips to Germany, but he did not know the purpose of these trips.

HOUSTON stated he observed a small revolver in AMSTER's possession before AMSTER departed for California, but he did not know the caliber or type of weapon it was.

HOUSTON advised that one of AMSTER's habits was betting on the horse races and his main ambition was to someday have political power.

HOUSTON advised that AMSTER was a neurotic individual who was possibly mentally disturbed. He stated AMSTER advised him that he had psychiatric help when he attended boarding school.

HOUSTON stated AMSTER telephonically stated to him approximately two months ago that he was working for a company, located in the Los Angeles, California area, that manufactured and sold automatic telephone answering devices.

HOUSTON stated AMSTER advised him that he was residing in the Westwood Section, near the Beverly Hills area of Hollywood, California.

HOUSTON stated AMSTER worked for a Computer Programming Company, located on 42nd Street and Fifth Avenue, New York, New York, when he resided in New York.

HOUSTON provided a postcard postmarked October 28, 1967, Los Angeles, California, which he stated was from AMSTER. The postcard was addressed to Sir ROBERT HOUSTON, 115 East 86th Street, New York, New York. The card stated the following:

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"Reagan for President, Hi!, I am moving out here permanently. Will visit N.Y. in 10 days:.

HOUSTON stated he does not know if AMSTER visited New York within the past six months.

HOUSTON furnished the following descriptive information regarding AMSTER:

Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Height:	Six feet one inch
Weight:	185-190 pounds
Hair:	Brown, curly
Eyes:	Blue
Complexion:	Light
Age:	25
Scars:	Knife scars
Parents:	Mr. and Mrs. JACOB AMSTER 251 Seamen Avenue Manhattan, New York

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-152297)

DATE: MAR 13 1964

FROM : SA MORRIS W. HADDOCK (#342)

SUBJECT: GERALD ROBERT VON AMSTER
INFORMANT PROGRAM
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On 12/9/63, subject, residing Hotel Paris, West End Avenue and 97th Street, NYC, Room 1815, telephone RI 9-3500, telephonically contacted this office to advise that he felt that he was possibly being surveilled, impliedly he felt this surveillance was being conducted by East German Communists or Soviets.

Subject explained that he had studied in West Berlin during 1962, and while there had visited the Soviet sector of the city and Soviet zone of Germany. The implication of his complaint was that this surveillance was connected with his experiences in Germany. He further advised that after he returned to the US and was residing in the Hotel Paris the room to his door had been jimmied between 11:00 p.m. and 1:00 a.m. on the evening of 12/8, 9/63. At the time of his complaint he advised that he was employed as a secretary to Professor NIKOLAEV, Rector of Slavic-American Institute of New York. He mentioned in passing that his US passport number was [REDACTED]. Purpose of his call was to speak with an FBI agent regarding the above matter.

Subject was subsequently contacted by SA WILLIAM E. FAULKNER and he advised SA FAULKNER that he had no indication that he was being presently surveilled, or whether he had been surveilled within the past few weeks. In the absence of any evidence indicating that the subject was being surveilled by alleged Communists or Soviet agents, subject was advised that the matter did not fall within the jurisdiction of the FBI and that if someone had attempted to enter his room or to surveil him, in the absence of other factors, the matter should be taken up with the local police authorities.

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A review of the subject's file also disclosed that in November, 1963, subject telephonically contacted the NYO and advised that he has on occasion visited at the Midtown International Center, 152 West 56th Street, NYC, and that he had overheard conversation between individuals at this center which would suggest that these individuals were of a subversive character. In passing he mentioned that he is a student and studies foreign languages and for this reason frequents several foreign restaurants and clubs in NYC. He explained this was how he happened to visit the Midtown International Center.

The writer presently has assigned to him the case of an Unsub known as Miss (FNU) GRASHOR (NY 105-65506). ~~u~~

[In December, 1963, the name of Miss (FNU) GRASHOR was found, with telephone number, in the purse of TAMARA KALINKINA, wife of GEORGI F. KALINKIN, a member of the KGB. A check of the GRASHOR telephone number disclosed that the number was listed to the Midtown International Center, 152 West 56th Street, NYC. Efforts are being made to specifically identify GRASHOR and to ascertain her connection, if any, to the KALINKINS.] For this reason it was felt desirable to contact the subject to ascertain his knowledge, if any, of this Unsub, it being noted that he has on two occasions voluntarily contacted the NYO volunteering to furnish information relating to subversive matters. It is noted that the complaint clerk handling the complaint of 12/9/63, suggested that perhaps the subject had an active imagination but that he might be of some value as a source of information regarding [various foreigners.] SA FAULKNER was consulted and he advised that despite the nature of subject's complaint he did not appear to be incoherent or give any manifestations suggesting mental instability; however, he did not converse with the subject for sufficient duration to form a complete evaluation of the subject. ~~u~~

On 2/12/64, the writer interviewed the subject in his hotel room at the Hotel Paris. During the course of this investigation the writer ascertained the following concerning the subject:

Subject was born in Paterson, New Jersey, on 2/19/43. Subject's father is of German origin. His parents were divorced at a very young age. Subject was raised by

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his mother in the Bronx, NY. His parents were subsequently remarried and subsequently divorced again. His mother has been married at least two additional times. Subject was educated in NYC and has attended New York University and Columbia University. He has described himself as a "professional student". He has no degrees from either of the aforementioned schools, however, intends to return to college working towards a bachelor degree. At one point he received an offer to teach at a French school in Paris; however, upon arriving there found that the position had been filled; therefore, he travelled to West Berlin, where he attended the Free Western University in Dahlen. Subject has a facility for languages and is fluent in German, French, Spanish and Portugese. He was at one time connected with the Berlitz School of Languages. He advised that he did not continue his studies in West Berlin because he found the courses to be too elementary. He advised that he has travelled through the Soviet zone on at least two occasions and had frequently visited the Soviet sector of Berlin. On one of these occasions when he visited the Soviet sector an offer was made to him by one of the crossing guards to help him to obtain a free scholarship at Humbolt University in the Soviet sector of the city. Subject stated that on several occasions he believed that he was surveilled after returning from the east sector of Berlin. Later he returned to the US where he secured a position as a secretary at the Slavic-American Institute of New York (presently Russian-American Institute of New York), 1169 Park Avenue, NY, NY. It is understood this institute is connected with the St. Sergius High School, a Roman Catholic institution. Subject stated that on one occasion since he has been in the US he had the definite impression that he was being followed and noticed a rather suspicious individual standing outside his place of employment. He advised his employer regarding this individual and suggestion was made that the police be called; however, before this was done the suspicious individual left the area. He stated that on another occasion in December, 1963, someone broke into his hotel room by prying upon the front door. Nothing was taken from his room; although his wallet and cash savings were readily available. The only item bothered was his 35 mm camera which someone removed from the case and damaged the back cover. He stated that this camera is presently being repaired and that the damage was extensive. He advised that he was only suspicious and that he had no proof or other indication that he may be of interest to the Communists and readily admitted that it was entirely possible that his suspicions were without foundation.

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He stated that his only intention in calling the FBI was to make this a matter of record. Subject advised that at the present time he is recuperating from an attack of infectious hepatitis and is not employed. He advised that although he is suspicious regarding some of the personnel at the Midtown International Center he is in a position to renew his visits to this center and would be willing to do so if this would be of any assistance to the FBI. [Subject stated that he had never heard of a Miss (FNU) GRASHOR at the center; however there are several female volunteer workers at the center who might be known by this name.] Subject was not encouraged to visit the center. Subject stated that as a result of being hospitalized he lost his job at the institute and at the present time is negotiating with certain individuals who travelled to Brazil for the purpose of selling mutual funds. His purpose in doing this would be to make enough money to return to college. [Subject mentioned that he on occasion visits the UN lounge and engages in some of their social activities. Judging from his remarks it would appear that he has numerous contacts with various foreign students and possibly could be of some assistance to this office.] The initial impression of this individual is that he is quite articulate, somewhat intellectual and gives the impression of being much more mature than his age would suggest. At one point he remarked that although he "was not a Barry Goldwater supporter; he was very much opposed to the ultra liberal types so prevalent on the East Coast College campuses".

In view of the fact that the subject may be of some assistance in the above investigation and because of his contacts and student status it is felt that a case should be opened on the subject for the purpose of determining whether he could be recommended to the Bureau for utilization in the Informant Program.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-152297)

FROM : SA MORRIS W. HADDOCK (#342)

DATE: JUN 16, 1964

SUBJECT: GERALD ROBERT AMSTER aka Gerald Robert Vom Amster
INFORMANT PROGRAM

Subject has been contacted on several occasions for the purpose of determining whether he could be of any use in the informant program. Subject appeared cooperative and has furnished some information pertaining to matters presently under investigation by the NYO. On each occasion that subject was contacted these contacts were in relation to information he had previously furnished to the NYO and an effort was made to avoid giving the subject the impression of attempting to direct his activities or convey the impression that the NYO had any interest in the subject other than that relating to information he has furnished. During the course of these contacts, the following information has been obtained from the subject relating to his background. This information is set forth below under the appropriate captions.

Name

Subject has advised that he has utilized the last name VOM AMSTER. However, this is not his correct name and the "VOM" was utilized for prestige purposes.

Date of Birth

2/19/43, Paterson, New Jersey.

Mother

LILLIAN WARSHAWSKY, 251 Seaman Ave., NY, NY.

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Father

JACOB "JACK" MANUEL AMSTER,
address not mentioned

Brother

MARTIN FELDMAN (half brother), residing at Hamilton Motor Court, 39th St. and Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. FELDMAN is reported to be an aid to JAMES O'TOOL, a wealthy celebrity residing in Philadelphia.

Current Residence

Apartment 5C, 349 East 78th St., NYC

Roommate

VINCENT A. SCHMACK, German nationality, in the US on a permanent visa, formerly a resident of Munich, Germany.

Former Residences
and Employments

(1943 - 1953)

resided with his mother and grandparents, ABRAHAM and ROSE WARSHAWSKY, 98 Broadway, Paterson, NJ. Subject's grandparents still reside at this address.

(1953 - 1960)

251 Seaman Ave., NY, NY, except for the periods noted hereafter:

(1960 - 1961)

resided at Bennett Ave., Washington Heights, NYC, possibly at #40. During this period, he was employed as an animal attendant at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center on a full time basis. About one year later he moved to the Uptown Campus, NYU, Lowe Hall, until about possibly May 1960. During this period, he was engaged in full time studies at

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NYU. However, he left in about February 1962. At that time he entered Columbia University where he remained one semester. During that time he worked at the Columbia Library and resided at 251 Seaman Ave. On or about 6/12/62, he travelled to Paris, France, where he studied at the University of Paris (Cours De Civilisation France). He had intended to teach at the University of Paris. However, it did not materialize. He remained in Paris from approximately June 1962 until about August 1, 1962. During this time, he resided in the American House, 14th District, North end of Paris. On August 1, 1962, he travelled to West Berlin where he resided in the Studentendorf Schlachtansee (and attended the Free University of Berlin in Dahlem). He remained there until about 10/7/62, when he travelled to Geneva, Switzerland to take up employment as a salesman for Mutual Funds. He remained in Geneva approximately one week and was employed by Investors Overseas Service, an affiliate of New York Investors Continental Service. After this training he travelled to Weisbaden, Nuremberg, Ansbach and Wurzburg, Germany, where he engaged in activities pertaining to the sale of Mutual Funds. In November 1962, he returned home and resided with his mother at 251 Seaman Ave. For a short period of time he worked for IBM, the headquarters building. This employment was less than one week in duration. At the end of April 1963, following a period in which he attempted to make a living by writing novels, he became a teacher at the Berlitz School. He reportedly speaks German, French, Spanish and Portuguese.

Education

Subject advised that he attended the East Side High School in Paterson for approximately 2 years but did not graduate from this school; however, he has a high school equivalency diploma from NYU.

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Miscellaneous

Subject is self-described as a product of a broken home. He stated that his parents were incompatible and had been married, divorced, subsequently remarried and are presently separated. He stated that this created a good deal of strain and that he had a very difficult childhood. He stated that his mother was unable to manage him and that he was placed in a school for wayward boys called the Lindenhall School at Hawthorne, NY. He remained in this school from June 1957 to April 1958. He stated that he was released from this school after he was attacked by another boy in a dispute over a girl. He readily admitted that he was a problem to his mother, however, that he had never experienced any arrest or had any difficulties with the police. He attributed his lack of adjustment to the lack of domestic tranquility as a result of constant disputes between his parents. He stated that fortunately he eventually overcame this problem and regards himself as well adjusted, emotionally stable, stating that he grew out of this situation and that the separation of his parents apparently aided all persons concerned. He stated that while he worked at the Berlitz School he taught English and that this employment extended from the end of August to September 1, and that he left the school because of the meagerness of his salary. On September 1, he took up employment at the Russian Institute and during the period of that employment, resided at the Paris Hotel, West End Ave. and 97th St., from approximately 5/1/63 to approximately April 1964.

Associates

Subject mentioned during the course of his contacts the following individuals with whom he has been in contact and with whom he is acquainted:

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~~MICHAEL ROVER~~
~~home telephone: WI 2-5319~~
~~office: MU 4-7350~~

~~THOMAS N. TULING~~
~~home telephone: LE 5-4262~~
~~business: MU 7-8100, Ext. 89~~

~~WERNER SAUERWEIN~~
Physicist connected with the Chemistry Dept. at
NYU, residing in Apartment 3A, 226 East 6th St. He has
known SAUERWEIN approximately 2 years. SAUERWEIN is
single, approximately 30 years old, and is a social
acquaintance.

~~NILSON ENGELBERG~~
a Swiss instructor at the Berlitz School, residing
at 250 West 91st Street, Apt. 2N, LY 5-7416.

~~GISELA KLENKFORT~~, his former fiance, 148 West
70th St., Apt. 12, NY 23, NY, TR 3-0853.

Draft Status

Subject advised that he is registered with Local
Board 17 and is classified 3A and that he has been notified
to report for a pre-induction physical. He is not a member
of the Military Reserve.

Organizations

Subject is a member of the following organizations:

~~Midtown International Center~~

~~International Students Council~~

~~YWCA, 51st Street~~

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~~International House, an affiliate of the
Greater NY Council for Foreign Students Inc.~~

~~Goethe Institute~~

DIRECTOR, FBI

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SAC, NEW YORK (100-152297) (C)

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Subject came to the attention of the NYO primarily because of his membership in the Midtown International Center. Several Soviet nationals who are under investigation by the NYO have been determined to frequent this center. ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

Background investigation was conducted on the subject and he was contacted on several occasions with a view towards making a determination as to whether he should be recommended to the Bureau for utilization in the OSI Program. AMSTER was found to have useful, interesting contacts with foreign students and several foreign students organizations in New York City, including the above center. It was ascertained that from time to time the subject attended various UN diplomatic receptions, at which Soviet UN intelligence personnel were known to have frequented. Subject attended these receptions both by legitimately obtained invitations and also by "crashing" the affair, a practice which he relates is not uncommon among individuals of his acquaintance. ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

In one such situation, his roommate made the acquaintance of Soviet intelligence agent. He volunteered the information that he expected to be introduced to this Soviet; however, this did not materialize as his roommate left the country and this introduction could be arranged. ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

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Notwithstanding subject's latent potentiality for possibly coming into contact with matters of interest to this office through various circles he frequents and contacts he has developed, New York, after careful consideration, feels that it should not recommend the subject for the [DESECO Program] because of the possibility the subject could conceivably create a future source of embarrassment to the Bureau. u

During contacts with the subject, the following facts were developed which formed the basis for this conclusion:

The subject's true name is GERALD ROBERT AMSTER. He has advised that he appropriated the name "VON" AMSTER in order to convey the affectation that he is a member of German nobility. He particularly enjoys frequenting foreign social circles where he conveys the impression of being a German student or businessman. He speaks several languages fluently and conveys the impression of being educated and extremely knowledgeable on many subjects. Subject speaks with a slight German accent, although in fact he was born in Paterson, New Jersey.

His father was a German national. Subject was self-described as a product of a broken home. He stated that his parents were incompatible and had been married, divorced, subsequently remarried and are presently separated. He stated that this created a good deal of strain and he had a very difficult childhood. He stated that his mother was unable to manage him and that he was placed in a school for wayward boys at Hawthorne, New York. He remained in this school from June, 1957 to April, 1958. He stated that he was released from this school after he was attacked by another boy in a dispute over a girl. He readily admitted that he was a problem to his mother; however, he had never experienced any arrest or had any difficulties with the police. He attributed his lack of adjustment to the lack of domestic tranquility as a result of constant disputes between his parents.

The subject stated that fortunately he gradually overcame this problem and regards himself as well adjusted, emotionally stable, explaining that he simply grew out of this situation and that the separation of his parents aided all persons concerned.

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He was formerly an instructor at the Berlitz School and has a facility for acquiring foreign languages. He has attended Columbia University, New York University, the University of Paris and the Free University of Berlin in West Berlin. In 1962 he travelled in Europe as a businessman for a Mutual Fund. He reportedly speaks German, French, Spanish and Portuguese.

Although the subject is only 22 years of age, he has a much more mature appearance and as related above has a high degree of intelligence and could easily pass as a college instructor. Subject agreed that some persons would probably regard him as a "confidence man", because of some of his actions, but he insisted that he has never done anything illegal or dishonest, although he admits that he receives considerable pleasure by impressing people as an important German businessman and a man with considerable business contacts.

Subject has no visible means of support and is frequently engaged in various business adventures of a highly speculative nature. Recently he was actively engaged in attempting to export synthetic diamonds to Brazil to take advantage of the unstable inflationary economic situation prevailing there. He presently has formed a corporation known as Gems of the World, dealing in semi - precious stones imported from South America. Subject has very little capital and hopes to perfect this business heavily relying upon credit and hoped for business contracts. Subject admitted that during the course of his business he has encountered several individuals wishing to sell questionable merchandise and became involved in such an arrangement to the extent that he was questioned by custom authorities regarding his knowledge in this matter. He advised that he was innocently involved and cooperated with the custom authorities to the extent that a prosecution of the subjects involved may be forthcoming.

Subject claims to have a great deal of respect for the FBI and has indicated a desire to be cooperative. However, in view of the above circumstances, all contacts with the subject have been on a most discreet basis conveying to the subject the impression that information was being sought from him because of his request to furnish information regarding various matters which be

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brought to the attention of the NYO. He was specifically instructed during several of these visits that the FBI did not sanction his activities and that under no circumstances were these contacts to be construed as creating any relationship or as authority for the subject to undertake any activity on behalf of this organization.

For the reasons outlined above, it is suggested that this case be closed. New York does not anticipate further contact with this subject, but will accept information from him if he contacts the office in the future.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (100-152297)

DATE: 1/4/66

FROM : SA JAMES M. ANDERSON (12)

SUBJECT: GERALD ROBERT AMSTER, aka
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Mr. DONALD PESHKIN, Collection Attorney, NY Telephone Co. (NYTC), 19 Rector St., NYC, furnished the following on 12/14/65.

One GERHARD VON AMSTER secured telephone service (TR 6-5122 - now disconnected) at 305 East 86 Street, Apt 1J, NYC. After accruing a telephone bill of \$188.91, the NYTC disconnected service and secured a judgement against VON AMSTER. On 10/15/65, JACOB AMSTER, 251 Seamen Ave., Bronx, NY, appeared at PESHKIN's office at which time he advised he is the father of VON AMSTER. The purpose of AMSTER in visiting PESHKIN's office was an attempt on the part of AMSTER to make arrangements to pay the telephone bill owed by his son. AMSTER informed PESHKIN that his son suffered from schizophrenia and has been committed several times in the past into mental institutions. AMSTER advised his son had visited Germany and the prime purpose of this visit was to contact neo-Nazi factions in that country. AMSTER stated that his son has been active in neo-Nazi activities in Yorkville, which has upset his parents since they ~~are~~ are of the Jewish faith. AMSTER also informed that his son is a member of the JOHN BIRCH society.

In addition to owing the NYTC for the above-mentioned telephone service, the NYTC had determined that subject was placing long distance telephone calls from a public telephone booth located near the GM pavillion at the NY World's Fair during the summer of 1965. The subject paid \$5.00 to the NYTC to settle this matter. Investigation by the NYTC to identify VON AMSTER as the person using a fraudulent credit card number to place the calls from the World's Fair revealed that subject's grandfather is ABRAHAM WARSHOSKY, who resides at 98 Broadway, Paterson, NJ. Subject also attempted to secure a loan fraudulently ~~1/1/~~ from the Manufacturers Hanover Bank.

Above ~~info~~ submitted for info.

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201 East 69th Street
New York, New York 10021

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United States Attorney
Southern District of New York
United States Court House
Foley Square
New York, New York 10007

Attention: Stephen E. Kaufman

Gerhard R. Von Amster
Impersonation

Dear Sir:

This will confirm a conversation between Assistant United States Attorney Stephen E. Kaufman and Special Agent Billy Bob Williams on August 18, 1966. This conversation had to do with the activities of Gerhard R. Von Amster.

On June 28, 1966, an inquiry was made at the New York Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation by Mrs. Helene Barcori, E. Barcori, of the United States Mission to the United Nations, a part of the United States State Department. Mrs. Barcori stated that Gerhard R. Von Amster had attempted to personally contact King Faizal during the King's recent visit to the United States. Von Amster attempted to secure assistance, Von Amster represented himself as being prince's secretary to King Von Braun. He stated he wished to interview the King regarding his remarks regarding Jewish Support of Israel. He indicated that he was a member of the German Mission in the United States. Subsequently, on Saturday, June 25, 1966, an article appeared in the New York Post concerning the visit of Von Amster to King Faizal's quarters.

Mrs. Barcori stated that she had been informed by the German Mission that Von Amster is in no way connected with the organization. The German Mission had stated information to Mrs. Barcori to be referred to the appropriate United States officials.

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A review of the files of the New York Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation reflects that Von Amster has been known to this office since 1965. He has been the subject of investigations by the New York Telephone Company for the misuse of telephone credit cards and the results of their investigation indicates he is a member of neo-Nazi organizations. His father has furnished information that he suffers from schizophrenia, and has been incarcerated on several accounts in the past to mental institutions.

Mr. Kaufman advised that he would decline prosecution in this matter in view of Von Amster's apparent mental state and requested no further investigation be conducted.

In view of Mr. Kaufman's decision, this office is conducting no further investigation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

JOHN J. MALONE
Assistant Director in Charge

Recommendation

In view of the declination and request of Assistant United States Attorney Kaufman in this matter, it is recommended that the matter be closed.

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Date: 6/10/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO:LA)

Enclosed for LA are 4 copies of an FD 302 containing the results of an interview with ROBERT HOUSTON, which was furnished on a CONFIDENTIAL basis. Also enclosed are copies of memos of SA MORRIS W. HADDOCK to SAC, NY dated 3/13/64 and 6/16/64, captioned "GERALD ROBERT VON AMSTER, INFORMANT PROGRAM" (NYfile 100-152297-4 and 11) and SAC, NY letter to Bureau, 12/22/64 (NYfile 100-152297-21) and memo of SA JAMES M. ANDERSON to SAC, NY dated 1/4/66 (NYfile 100-152297-28). Also enclosed is one copy of FBI, NY letter to USA, NY dated 8/25/66 (NYfile 47-10038-2) captioned "GERHARD R. VON AMSTER - IMPERSONATION".

This information is forwarded to LA so that they will be aware of the background of AMSTER and can determine what action they wish to take as to the information from ROBERT HOUSTON.

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Approved: *[Signature]* Sent _____ M Per _____

SAC, Indianapolis

June 10, 1968

Director, FBI

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN - VICTIM
EXTORTION

ReSftelotype of 6/7/68 entitled "Kensalt."

Referenced teletype advised that the San Francisco Police Department switchboard operator received a telephone call subsequently determined to have been made in Muncie, Indiana, threatening the life of the victim.

Indianapolis, inasmuch as this call constitutes a possible violation of the Federal Extortion Statute, present to the appropriate United States Attorney and advise Bureau and interested offices results.

- 1 - Los Angeles
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*Anonymous call to P.D. from Muncie
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regarding threat to Kennedy*

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : Supervisor RICHARD J. STILLING

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Supervisor HENRY SCHUTZ at the Bureau telephonically contacted this office on 6/12/68 at 5:01 A.M. MR. SCHUTZ advised that the Bureau desired that persons mentioned in Miami teletype, 6/11/68, 7:35PM (Miami time) be promptly and thoroughly interviewed, and that the Bureau be advised. MR. SCHUTZ advised that the teletype concerned 5 Cubans who claim to have seen SIRHAN SIRHAN at a Peace meeting on 5/21/68.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA WILLIAM V. SCRUGGS

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/11/68 JAN G. BANTJES, 265 Lincoln, Pomona, NA9-3362, advised FRAN MC GREERY, 255 W. LaVerne, Pomona, NA2-4019, holds some type of a job in the Administrative Office of Pasadena City College (PCC), possibly Business Manager. He stated MC GREERY advised him last night that in August 1967, SIRHAN SIRHAN attempted to enroll at PCC but he refused to complete an application. SERHAN caused a disturbance at the time and MC GREERY was called to handle the situation. SERHAN demanded admission without filling out an application and was very hard to deal with.

BANTJES stated he wanted to make this a matter of record to show how SERHAN rebelled against authority.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : SA TIMOTHY L. DONOVAN

SUBJECT: KENSALT

RE INTERVIEWS OF MEMBERS OF
OFFICIAL KENNEDY PARTY

The Bureau advised this phase should be aggressively pursued as it is of utmost importance. It is also necessary to determine if there had been last minute changes following Senator KENNEDY's victory speech or just prior thereto, which resulted in his proceeding to the Colonial Room for purpose of press conference rather than to the Ambassador Ballroom. If a change did occur, attempt to determine who made the change, why the change was made and to what it was made.

The Washington Field Office advised that one JIM DUNN, 6713 Atoll Avenue, North Hollywood, California, was a member of the Senator's official party in Los Angeles.

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AT NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CALIFORNIA. Interview JIM DUNN in accordance with the above.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA PAUL CHAMBERLAIN, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/13/68

On 6/12/68, Mr. [THEODORE STEVENS] 586 Pulman Street, Los Angeles, telephone 257-9368, was interviewed by writer regarding the appearance of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN at a meeting of the "Ancient Mystical Order Rosae Crucis" (AMORC), of which he is Master of the Chapter.

STEVENS advised that on the evening of 5/28/68, an individual he positively identified as SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN appeared at the Pasadena Chapter at approximately 7:30 p.m., attended the meeting and departed shortly after 9:00 p.m. STEVENS disclosed that although he personally did not have verbal contact with SIRHAN, several other members may have.

STEVENS advised that he would immediately begin compiling a list of members who would have been present on the evening in question and this list will be available to the FBI after 7:30 p.m., on 6/13/68. STEVENS requested that he be contacted in the evening hours at his home.

FD 302 to follow.

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LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will, after 7:30 p.m., 6/13/68, obtain names of members present at AMORC meeting and if deemed advisable, have them interviewed.

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To: SACs, Cincinnati
Los Angeles

From: Director, FBI

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ReCitel 6/6/68.

Cincinnati immediately endeavor to locate and reinterview Robert Lee Driggs and ascertain additional details regarding his alleged attendance at party at home of individual identified as Serharnd in Pasadena, California, on 7/4/65. Driggs should be pressed to furnish names of individuals who attended party, to specifically identify individuals described as "card carrying communists" and to describe in detail the communist literature observed by Driggs in Serharnd's home. Also ascertain residence address utilized by Driggs in California and period of residence in the Los Angeles vicinity.

Los Angeles contact logical sources and endeavor to verify or disprove Drigg's claim of membership in the Venice DuBois Club. On receipt of photograph from Cincinnati, immediately conduct appropriate investigation to determine whether individual described by Driggs is identical with or a relative of Sirhan B. Sirhan.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA FRANCIS M. MULLEN, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/12/68

FREDERICK BAEDER, 2127 Aralia Street, Newport Beach, California and his daughter, KATHERINE TURRELL, were both interviewed by SA PHILLIP P. HANLON on 6/6/68, at Newport Beach, California.

TURRELL advised SA HANLON that she and her father were at KENNEDY headquarters at the Ambassador Hotel the night KENNEDY was shot and that she heard an individual say, "I am going to get him.", apparently prior to the time Senator KENNEDY was shot.

TURRELL was watching the STAN BORHAM and MARIA COLE show. Tempo I, at noon on 6/5/68 and she observed the individual that made the statement, at the KENNEDY rally.

FD 302s have been dictated re the foregoing.

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Contact appropriate officials of STAN BORHAM and MARIA COLE show and ascertain identities of guests.

(2) Consider obtaining tape of the show for display to TURRELL.

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MEMO

TO: SAC 56-156

6/12/68

FROM: SA BUCARO

SUBJECT: KENSALT

SA W. JAMES WOOD advised today Mr. EDDIE DREW, Clerk of Courts, USDC, told him today his son RICHARD DREW, a photographer for Pasadena-Independant newspaper, phone ~~681 4871~~ ~~681-4811~~ (Photo Lab), took pictures of victim KENNEDY during assassination and as yet has not been interviewed by FBI.

(EDDIE DREW HAS ANOTHER SON WHO IS AN EMPLOYEE IN THE LA FBI OFFICE)

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA W. A. HAMILTON

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/12/68

On 6/5/68, a complete examination of a 1956 De Soto, 2-door, bearing California license JWS 093, which was registered to SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California, was conducted by the Los Angeles Police Department pursuant to a local search warrant.

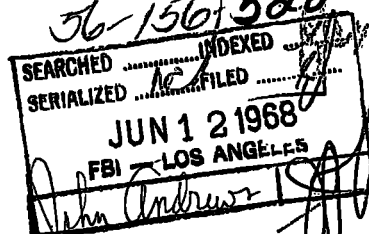
Examination of the vehicle revealed two spent .22 caliber projectiles, which were found on the top of the front seat on the passenger side of the vehicle. Also located was a business card on the floor in the rear of the passenger seat which revealed the name of "Lock, Stock and Barrel", a hunting and fishing equipment store, 8972 East Huntington Drive, San Gabriel, California. In addition, a search of the glove compartment of the above described vehicle revealed one empty box of CCI Mini-Mag High Powered .22 Caliber Bullets and a sale receipt, No. 2372, from the "Lock, Stock and Barrel" company. The receipt reflected purchase of four boxes of .22 caliber bullets for a sum of \$3.99, which was paid for in cash on 6/1/68.

LEADS

LOS ANGELES

AT SAN GABRIEL, CALIFORNIA. Will contact Lock, Stock and Barrel company re their knowledge of subject SIRHAN and the amount and time at which SIRHAN made purchase.

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AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, LAS VEGAS (62-610) (P)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Kansas City tel, 6/8/68.

On 6/10/68, DESSIE KNIGHT, wife of the manager, Town Palm Hotel, 321 South Casino Center Boulevard, Las Vegas, Nevada, advised SA DONALD M. HOLLAND that ELLEN BLASOR, who resided in Room 218 of the Town Palm from July to December, 1967, did work two or three nights as a night clerk in that hotel.

KNIGHT said BLASOR was completely unreliable and had to be relieved from her duty as night clerk because of her inability to do the job. KNIGHT stated that BLASOR had a very vivid imagination and as an example, BLASOR told KNIGHT she was getting a divorce so that she would be free to marry HOWARD HUGHES, who, according to BLASOR, was very much in love with her.

KNIGHT said there is no "B side" to the Town Palm and that term has never been used in connection with the hotel. KNIGHT stated she recalls no one having lived at the hotel who even remotely resembled SIRHAN SIRHAN. No one using that or similar names has ever been registered into the hotel.

No further inquiry is being made into the matter reported by ELLEN BLASOR.

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AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, LAS VEGAS (62-610) (P)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/10/68, "The Las Vegas Sun" newspaper, a Las Vegas daily morning newspaper, carried a lead article headed "Pastor Notes Sirhan Vegas Visit". The byline on the article is RALPH DONALD, Sun Staff Writer. The article is as follows:

"A mumbling, apparently tranquilized Sirhan Bishara Sirhan disrupted a Las Vegas Methodist service three weeks ago, a church pastor said last night.

"The accused assassin of Sen. Robert F. Kennedy, now in custody in Los Angeles pending a trial for murder and assault with intent to kill, walked into the First Methodist Church of Las Vegas, 231 South Third St., and annoyed Sunday worshippers, according to Pastor Rev. Douglas A. Harrell.

"During the service proper he made loud, unintelligible sounds," Rev. Harrel said, "and complained to nearby congregation members about some moral issue while I was preaching my sermon."

"Harrell said that most of Sirhan's words were mumblings of some sort.

"Many times, especially in Las Vegas, odd people happen into the church and try to disrupt things. If the ushers think they are dangerous, they eject them. Sirhan was very tranquil, as if he might have been under the influence of a depressant, so they decided to allow him to remain."

"Harrell said Sirhan seemed harmless. 'He was subdued, it seemed, and didn't look like the type of person who was capable of harming anyone,' the minister said.

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" 'At a coffee hour after the service, Sirhan came right up to me, his face right up to mind, and introduced himself. He mumbled and tried to say something, but I couldn't understand him. I asked him how he liked Las Vegas, trying to be pleasant. I assumed he was a newcomer. He again muttered something unintelligible.'

"In the crowds at the coffee hour, the minister lost track of the accused slayer. 'He must have decided to leave,' Harrell said. 'The next time I saw him was on television during the coverage of the Kennedy assassination.'

"He seemed so subdued and introverted the minister remarked, 'He just didn't seem like the type of person who could commit such a foul act.' "

A photograph of Rev. HARRELL accompanied the story in the newspaper.

On 6/10/68, Rev. HARRELL advised SA DONALD M. HOLLAND that the above article is completely erroneous and contains nothing but misquotes. Rev. HARRELL stated that RALPH DONALD was best man at a wedding he performed on 6/9/68, and that after the ceremony he and DONALD engaged in a conversation concerning the KENNEDY assassination. During the conversation the topic of odd people and "kooks" came up and DONALD remarked at the number of this type of people who visit the "Sun" newspaper office on a daily basis. Rev. HARRELL stated he told DONALD that a number of such type people visit his church from time to time and that an individual who resembled SIRHAN SIRHAN had attended service at his church. He said that he in no way identified this individual as SIRHAN SIRHAN but merely related the story to DONALD as an example of "kooks" visiting his church.

In view of the publicity given this matter, Rev. HARRELL found it necessary to issue a public retraction to be disseminated to all news media. He said that even though there may have been a resemblance between the young man and SIRHAN SIRHAN, he, Rev. HARRELL, in no way identified the visitor as SIRHAN SIRHAN. Rev. HARRELL's prepared retraction is as follows:

Statement of Local Minister

On Sunday, May 26, a young man dressed in a blue suit and wearing cloth shoes, seated near the rear of the Sanctuary proved to be a problem to those worshipping near him. He laughed and mumbled aloud during the entire 11 o'clock service. He was a most disturbing influence to those seated near him and to the Minister. Later, during coffee hour, he approached the Minister and attempted to engage in conversation. He was soft spoken and to Rev. Harrell unintelligible.

The young man seemed very emotionally disturbed. It is not unusual for troubled people to seek help at First Methodist Church, which, being located in the center of the city, proves easily accessible. On this particular day the Minister was unable to relate to this person because of illness. (He was admitted, himself, to Sunrise Hospital at 12:40 that day.)

In view of the tragedy which occurred last week and the description of the suspect, there seemed to be a definite resemblance. However, Rev. Harrell has made, nor makes, any positive assertion of an identification.

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**No further inquiry is being made into the
matter of the identification of SIRHAN SIRHAN by
Rev. HARRELL.**

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA BILLY DALE HUBBARD

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re St. Louis teletype dated 6/6/68; Springfield teletype to Bureau dated 6/7/68; Cleveland teletype to Bureau dated 6/7/68; and Cleveland teletype to Bureau dated 6/8/68.

On 6/10/68 SAMIR JOSEPH KHALAF was interviewed at his place of employment, E. F. Braun and Company, 1000 South Fremont, Alhambra, California, where he is employed as a Senior Engineer, Data Processing Section, at which time he furnished the following information:

KHALAF related that he came to the United States to live on 8/6 or 7/59, having come to this country by himself. He had an older brother, FAROUK D. KHALAF, who resided in Barberton, Ohio, at the time. SAMIR J. KHALAF went to Barberton, Ohio, upon arriving in the United States, where he resided with his brother. He obtained a job with Babcock and Wilcox, Barberton, Ohio, and while employed by the firm attended the University of Akron during the same period of time. He attended the University of Akron from June, 1960, until September, 1964. SAMIR J. KHALAF obtained a degree in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Akron in June, 1964. His parents, FARAJ D. and ALICE R. KHALAF, and his sister, FATIN F. KHALAF, visited with him in the United States and lived with him for a period of time. His family would not agree to coming to the United States to live on a permanent basis until he agreed to move to California where his brother, FAROUK DAVID KHALAF had moved subsequent to his arrival in the United States. On 9/4/64 KHALAF left Ohio enroute to California. On 9/21/64 he obtained employment with C. F. Braun and Company and has been with this firm since that date. KHALAF's father, FARAJ D. KHALAF, came to the United States to take up permanent residence in January, 1967. His mother, ALICE R. KHALAF, sister FATIN F. KHALAF, and brother FAIZ F. KHALAF, came to the United States to take up permanent residence in February, 1967.

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SAMIR J. KHALAF advised he had resided at the following addresses while in the United States. He named only the addresses where he resided for any length of time as he related that while a student at the University of Akron, he had numerous addresses due to his residing for a time with a number of other students, then if one moved out the expenses would be too great for those remaining. He said that later he would then get into an apartment with another group of students and the same thing would happen again.

461 East Jefferson
Barberton, Ohio
August, 1959 - July, 1960

Address unknown on College Street
Akron, Ohio
Three weeks

121 or 221 Carroll Street
Akron, Ohio
Six or seven months

456 Johnson Street
Akron, Ohio

421 Buchtel Avenue
Akron, Ohio
Nine months

505 $\frac{1}{2}$ Buchtel Avenue
Akron, Ohio
January, 1962 - September, 1964

He resided at the following addresses after arriving in California:

653 Grand Avenue
Apartment C
South Pasadena, California
September, 1964 until end of May, 1966

1121 East Glendon Way
Alhambra, California
May, 1966, through December, 1966

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11503 South Fireside
Whittier, California
January, 1967 to present

SAMIR JOSEPH KHALAF related that his father, mother, sister, and brother, HUSSAM F. KHALAF, all reside with him and his wife at 11503 South Fireside, Whittier, California. His sister, FATIN KHALAF, is a senior in high school. His brother, HUSSAM, is a student at Fullerton Jr. College, Fullerton, California. SAMIR KHALAF continued that his older brother, FAROUK DAVID KHALAF, did live at 12372 Manley Street, Garden Grove, California, until approximately March, 1968 when he went back to his former employer, Babcock and Wilcox in Barberton, Ohio or Akron, Ohio. FAROUK D. KHALAF's family did not leave California until 5/10/68 when the escrow on their home at 12372 Manley Street, Garden Grove, closed. As best SAMIR J. KHALAF could recall, FAROUK KHALAF, when he returned to Ohio was making his residence on Winter Parkway, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. FAIZ F. KHALAF, another brother, is residing with FAROUK D. KHALAF in Cuyahoga Falls. SAMIR J. KHALAF stated he has one other brother, ZAHIR F. KHALAF, 20 years of age, that is attending the College of Engineering at Baghdad, Iraq. SAMIR KHALAF gave the age of FAROUK D. KHALAF as 35 years of age and FAIZ F. KHALAF as age 32.

SAMIR JOSEPH KHALAF advised he never knew another family in Akron, Ohio, whose last name was KHALAF who owned a supermarket or a chain of supermarkets. He said that he had never been in St. Louis, Missouri, except as he passed through enroute from Ohio to California, and most certainly was not in St. Louis, on 6/3/68. He said that on 6/3/68 he worked at his place of employment from 8:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. He went from his employment to California State College at Los Angeles where he is a graduate student and took a final examination. The professor of this class is Mr. TABACKMAN. He related that on 6/4/68 he took the day off from work in order that he could study for a final examination. The test was from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. The professor teaching the class is Dr. BHAUMIK. Mr. TABACKMAN is employed by Aerojet General in Azusa, California, and teaches at night. On Wednesday, 6/5/68 SAMIR J. KHALAF advised he worked at his place of employment from 8:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. when he left for classes at California State College at Los Angeles. He was in class from 4:20 p.m.

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until 6:00 p.m. SAMIR J. KHALAF advised that both the above professors could account for his whereabouts on the nights of 6/3 and 4/68.

SAMIR JOSEPH KHALAF related that his family was from Iraq, not Jordan and that he had not been in Jordan the past summer as SAMIR M. KHALAF had stated that he was.

SAMIR J. KHALAF related that he was deeply grieved to learn of the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. He felt particularly bad because of the admiration he held for him and secondly because the individual who assassinated Senator KENNEDY was from the Middle East.

KHALAF is described as follows:

Name	SAMIR JOSEPH KHALAF
Race	Caucasian
Sex	Male
Age	30 years age
Height	5'9"
Weight	170 lbs.
Hair	Brown, close cropped, touches of gray on the side
Eyes	Brown
Occupation	Senior Engineer Data Processing C. F. Braun and Company
Marital Status	Married
Residence	11503 South Fireside Whittier, California
Children	One child age 1, another child age 2½

KHALAF related that he was married after coming to the United States.

SAMIR J. KHALAF advised he was not acquainted with anyone by the name of SAMIR M. KHALAF.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA W. A. HAMILTON

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/5/68, ^{Complete} examination of a 1956 De Soto, 2-door, bearing California license JWS 093, which was registered to SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California, was conducted by the Los Angeles Police Department pursuant to a local search warrant.

Examination of the vehicle revealed the presence of a "Los Angeles Times" newspaper dated 6/5/68. During the interview of GAYMOARD MISTRI, a friend and former classmate of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, on 6/7/68, MISTRI advised that he purchased a copy of the Preview Edition of the "Los Angeles Times" from a newspaper rack on the campus of Pasadena City College, on the evening of 6/4/68. When SIRHAN stated he also wanted a newspaper, MISTRI told SIRHAN not to purchase a copy because all MISTRI wanted was the Classified Section. MISTRI then took the Classified Section and gave the remainder to SIRHAN.

LEADS

Contact appropriate personnel at the "Los Angeles Times", Delivery Section, to determine the exact time that the Preview Edition is delivered at Pasadena City College.

Los Angeles Times

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases KENSALT				Address of subject		Character of case	
Complainant JOE CORDERO				Complainant's address and telephone number Southeast Daily News Downey, California		Complaint received ☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date 6-12-68 Time 10:45am	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace	
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion		
	Scars, marks or other data						
Facts of complaint							
<i>Cordero advised that on 6/11/68, the <u>Anaheim Bulletin</u> a newspaper carried a headline on 6/11/68 saying, "Pro Castro Link in RFK Slaying". An article following the headline referred to a pro-Castro meeting place on Arnsbury Road in the <u>La Brea</u> area and an individual named <u>JOSE DUARTE</u>.</i> <i>Cordero stated he desired to write an article in connection with the above story and he wanted to know if the FBI had any information concerning the above.</i> <i>Cordero was advised of the confidential nature of FBI files and if such information was known it could not be made available.</i>							
Action Recommended				56-156-525 SEARCHED.....INDEXED..... SERIALIZED.....FILED..... JUN 12 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES <i>Bill Bouquet</i> (INFO)			
<i>Robinson</i> (Agent)							

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA PAUL CHAMBERLAIN, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/12/68

On 6/11/68, MARVENE JONES, a former newspaper reporter and currently volunteer worker for RAFFERTY for Senator Campaign was interviewed by SA PAUL CHAMBERLAIN, JR., at her residence. Miss JONES advised that on the evening of 6/4/68, she was in the Venetian Room at the Ambassador Hotel working on the RAFFERTY for Senator Committee. She advised that because she was maintaining an open telephone line to the Voters Registration Office in Los Angeles, she was unable to leave her desk when it became apparent that Senator KENNEDY had been shot in the room across the lobby.

Miss JONES disclosed that approximately five to 15 minutes after Senator KENNEDY was shot, at some time after midnight, an unknown white male whom she described as a junior executive type, came in the vicinity of her desk and was engaged by her in conversation regarding the shooting. She stated that this man told her, "KENNEDY's been shot. I was back there in that area. There was a man with a gun. He had helpers. They did not have guns but they were helping him. I tackled one of them. They (he indicated at this point some name which she can not at this time remember) got the gunman. There were 2 or 3 helpers."

Miss JONES stated that due to the emergency situation a number of individuals attempted to use her telephone and as the crowd increased, she lost contact with the man in question. Miss JONES advised that she had never seen this individual before and could furnish no solution as to how he might be identified. FD 302 to follow.

The above information was discussed with Supervisor NOLAN and the following leads are set forth under his recommendation:

LEADS

(1) Will show all available photographs taken at the Ambassador Hotel to Miss JONES.

(2) Will show television films of activities at the Ambassador Hotel on the night in question to Miss JONES in an effort to identify unknown male.

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(Priority)

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES ~~(56-156)~~
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Los Angeles file 26-37181 captioned BELA FOLDI.
ITSMV, contains a description of BELA FOLDI as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Born	9/26/40
	Margitta, Hungary
Height	5'7"
Weight	140
Hair	Black
Eyes	Brown, wears glasses
Complexion	Dark
ASN	

On 6/9/68, FRANCES MARONE, 4216 Berenice Place, Los Angeles, owner of the apartments at 675 North Kenmore, Los Angeles, advised she remembers BELA FOLDI as a resident of apartment 302. Her records show he occupied this apartment 11/20/67 - 1/8/68; however, he could have lived in another apartment prior to that time. She was shown a photograph of BELA FOLDI, subject of the LA file 26-37131 and she identified this as the individual who resided at the apartment house as mentioned above.

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TO: SAC, PITTSBURGH
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
RE: KENSALT

Enclosed for Pittsburgh and Miami are two photographs each of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

On 6/12/68, Dr. JOHN HARRIS, Coordinator for Personnel Records, Pasadena Unified School District, Pasadena, advised that Mr. JOSEPH P. ZERONIAN, who had taught SIRHAN SIRHAN at Muir High School, Pasadena, was attending a four-week National Defense Education Act institute in history at the Carnegie - Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and could be reached at the university through telephone number 412/621-2600, Extension 238.

Dr. HARRIS further advised that Dr. NATALIE GUNKEL, who taught 10th Grade German to SIRHAN at Muir High School, had moved to Florida and, in November 1965, her address had been 1400 Cordova Road, Apartment 22D, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.

LEADSPITTSBURGH

AT PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA: Will contact and interview Mr. ZERONIAN for any background nationalistic tendencies or other information he might have concerning SIRHAN.

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----- AT FT. LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA: Will attempt to locate and interview Dr. GUNKEL for any background nationalistic tendencies or other information she might have concerning SIRHAN.

NOTE: Hand print names legibly; handwriting satisfactory for remainder.

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases				Address of subject		Character of case KENNALT	
Complainant BESTA MORELLA				Complainant's address and telephone number 12731 Hunnewell Ave. Sylmar, Calif. 7-361-2845		Complaint received ☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date <u>6-13-68</u> Time <u>8/55am</u>	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace	
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion		
	Scars, marks or other data						
Facts of complaint C. stated the FBI had tried to contact her re the KENNEDY shooting. C. also stated she had her picture printed in the LIFE magazine shaking hands with KENNEDY. C. stated she is now scared because of the picture. C. feels there is a conspircy and she might get hurt. C. stated the FBI tried to contact her but her phone was out of order. The phone is now connected and will be at her home until 12:00 noon this date. She will be at the Ambassador Hotel after three pm this date. <i>Works in Kitchen at</i> → <i>Pickard trying to contact</i> <i>INTERVIEWED BY SA PENDER 6/13</i> <i>Ambassador Hotel</i> <i>Employee</i> <i>Re: Besta Morella</i> 56-156-529 SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 12 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES <i>Pickard RB</i>							
Action Recommended				56-156 Larry E. Mullins (Agent)			

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA PAUL E. QUINN

SUBJECT: ASSINATION OF SEN. ROBERT F. KENNEDY

On 6/12/68 Mr. ~~RICHARD WARRENBERG~~, 6615 De Soto Ave. Canoga Park, California furnished some photographs he had obtained from the ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ May May issue of Life magazine dated 5/10/68 on page 46 and 47 regarding the disturbances at Columbia Univ. in New York City. He said one of the students in the picture closely resembled SIRHAN SIRHAN, the individual who had ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ killed Sen. ROBERT F. KENNEDY. He also furnished a photograph of SIRHAN which he also obtained from a current issue of Life Magazine.

Attached is the photograph of SIRHAN along with the demonstartor which resemeles him and which is circled

*Two indicated
never left LA Area
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA WILLIE R. WHITE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

According to news article by the "Los Angeles Times" Staff Writer BORIS YARO, another "Times" reporter, PAUL HOUSTON, reached the Ambassador kitchen seconds after the ROBERT F. KENNEDY shooting.

If not already accomplished, locate and interview PAUL HOUSTON.

Locate and interview BORIS YARO. *Covered in first report*

Before contacts for interview purposes, SA to whom this lead is assigned should check index of first report and index cards in Nurse's Office to determine if these individuals have already been interviewed. *Page 320*

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*Lead Re: Houston only
6/13 Index reflects no
interview with Hunter yet.
WRW*

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TIMES NEWSMEN ON SCENE:

Gunman Fired at Point-Blank Range... Then It Was Too Late!

'Backed Up Against Freezer, Fell With Blood Pouring Out...

Times reporter-photographer Boris Yaro was standing only three feet from Sen. Robert F. Kennedy when the shooting began. Yaro's exclusive photograph appears on Page 3, Part 1. This is his story:

BY BORIS YARO
Times Staff Writer

"I was getting ready to take a picture when the gunman started firing at point-blank range. Sen. Kennedy didn't have a chance.

"Kennedy backed up against the kitchen freezers as the gunman fired. He cringed and threw his hands up over his face.

"The gunman was a short, dark-complexioned man. He moved closer toward the senator, holding a short-barreled revolver.

"Three or four people grabbed him, but by then it was too late.

"I turned and saw Sen. Kennedy lying on the floor. Blood seemed to be pouring out of a wound in his head or ear.

"Trying to Say Something..."

"It seemed as though he was trying to say something but you couldn't hear him.

"The gunman was pinned against the freezer and the gun was knocked from his hand.

"People were shouting, 'Bobby's been shot! He's been shot! Get a doctor! He's been shot!'

"The shooting took place less than a minute after Sen. Kennedy stepped off the stage at the Embassy Room. He walked behind the stage through a foyer and into a hotel kitchen corridor.

"He stopped to shake the hand of a busboy or a waiter who was wearing a white coat.

"He moved to shake someone else's hand. Then the shots rang out."

Reporter Gives Account

Times reporter Paul Houston reached the kitchen seconds after the shooting. This is his account:

"I saw Kennedy slump to the floor under the glare of a television light, his eyes glazed, the right side of his face bloodied.

"There must have been 50 people shouting and shoving in the narrow corridor.

"About eight men, including the massive Roosevelt Grier and Rafer Johnson and some hotel waiters grabbed the suspect. They lifted him onto a stainless steel kitchen table and pinned him down.

"Grier had him around the waist, leaning over him and crying and moaning and cursing.

"In his right hand Grier held a snub-nosed revolver. It must have been a weapon taken from the suspect."

(Indicate page, name of newspaper, city and state.)

I-2 Los Angeles Times
Los Angeles, Calif.

Date: 6/6/68
Edition: Preview
Author: Boris Yaro
Editor: Nick B. Williams
Title: KENSAIT

Character:
or
Classification: LA 56
Submitting Office: Los Angeles
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'Bystanders Crowd Around'

"Then a group of bystanders crowded in around the table, yelling and cursing.

"Two or three of them beat on the suspect's head with their fists and pulled at his hair. But they were restrained by others who shouted, 'Don't kill him! Don't kill him!'

"Jesse Unruh (Democratic Assembly Speaker), an anguished look on his face, bounded over the kitchen tables to spot where Kennedy lay and shouted, 'For God's sake, somebody get a doctor!'

"As they waited for the ambulance, many people were crying. Others banged their fists on the steel tables, helpless with grief and anger."

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LA, (56-156)

DATE: 6-10-68

FROM : SA LANFORD L. BLANTON

SUBJECT: KENSAULT

Re call from DAISEY M. BROWN re SHAHLA MANSOURI. (Serial 271)

On 6-9-68 SHAHLA MANSOURI was contacted at her place of employment, The Parkview Hospital, Riverside, Calif. She advised that she had been residing at 655 D, South Indian Hill Boulevard, ~~San~~ Clairmont, Calif. with her brother, HOUSHANG MANSOURI AND IRAG MANSOURI. Her brother HOUSHANG presently owns the Denny's Rest. in Pomona Calif and has three other restaurants known as Tiffy's in Fontana, San Bernardino and Colton, Calif. They all just moved their residence and she believes they now live at 1677 Grace Cove in San Dimas Canyon near Pomona. She advised that she did not know SIRHAN SIRHAN and had never met him. She said that about a month ago her boy friend met her at the Hospital and she has introduced him in Riverside on previous occasions. She exhibited his photo and there might be a slight resemblance to SIRHAN. Her boy friend is SIAVASH MANSOURI (a distant cousin). She advised that they are from Persia. She is here temporarily but her brother and boyfriend are here under permanent visa. SIAVASH presently lives on White Ave. in Pomona and could probably be contacted through her brother at Denny's Rest in Pomona if need be. SHAHLA is white, female born 10-25-44 in Persia, 5'2", 100 lbs.,

This was case of mistaken identity on part of DAISY M. BROWN.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SUPERVISOR NEAL MC GINNIS

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/12/68

This is to advise that at 3:40 PM on 6/12/68, BILL STOUT, CBS, called and asked to speak with ASAC ROGGE.

The writer took the call in the absence of the ASAC. STOUT explained that he had previously talked to the ASAC concerning the FBI's possession of KENNEDY volunteer workers records, which according to STOUT the FBI had obtained from KENNEDY Headquarters.

According to STOUT, ASAC ROGGE informed him that the records were being photographed and would be returned. STOUT said he called KENNEDY Headquarters and they informed him the records had not yet been returned to the office. He inquired as to when they would be returned.

STOUT was informed that he would be recontacted concerning this matter. He furnished the telephone No. OLive 1-2345 but said he would only be there a few minutes and would call back.

The writer checked with the Conference Room, and it was determined that some of the records had been returned. SA DOUCETTE, to whom the lead was assigned, was contacted by the writer. He said there was a voluminous amount of xeroxing to be done and while nine boxes containing records had been returned, there was a portion which would be furnished to the Headquarters on Thursday, 6/13/68.

At 5:19 PM, STOUT called the office and spoke to the writer. He was informed that the records he inquired about would be returned tomorrow.

The above is being submitted for record purposes.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, OKLAHOMA CITY (157-3)

DATE: 6/23/64

FROM : SAC, DENVER (157-0)

SUBJECT: DAVID EUGENE KATES
RM

On June 12, 1964, Captain HARRY KAPLAN, Federal Correctional Institution (FCI), Englewood, Colorado, made available a memorandum prepared by him on June 5, 1964, concerning captioned individual. In essence, this memorandum stated that KATES and other inmates of the FCI had attempted to poison another inmate through the use of mercury. This attempt was described by Captain KAPLAN as superficial, childish, and apparently relatively harmless. The inmate who was the victim of the attempt was ROBERT JAMES HALL, FCI #9807, from Minot, North Dakota. HALL had been one of several young men who had been recruited by KATES ostensibly into membership into the American Nazi Party (ANP). The other inmates were DONALD LEE MATHIESSEN, FCI #10314-D, from Forbestown, California; and CALVIN MILO HUPP, FCI #10240-D, from Omaha, Nebraska.

Captain KAPLAN's memorandum pointed out that although KATES had been in the institution only a short time, he had recruited actively for the ANP. Victim HALL had consented to be a member but changed his mind and wanted to defect. Because of this, KATES stated that HALL must be done away with. Consequently, mercury was stolen from a blood pressure measuring device in the hospital and placed in milk that it was thought HALL would drink; however, HALL did not drink the mercury. HALL was informed by other inmates of this and another attempt to have him drink mercury and a fight resulted between HALL and KATES.

KATES was interviewed by Captain KAPLAN and stated he had come into contact with the Nazi Party and GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL while living in California. He claims to be a dedicated, staunch member and mysteriously hints at considerable power and knowledge. He promised some of the inmates that a flight of helicopters would land at the institution on June 15, 1964, to free the members of his group. Captain

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KAPLAN advised that in subsequent talks with KATES, he has concluded that KATES has possibly never had any direct contact with the ANP but he may be wrong in this assumption. He felt, however, that the FBI should be aware of KATES and his activity because KATES is a glib, verbal youth and could possibly become active in this organization upon his release from the FCI. He stated that KATES has definite paranoid and schizoid tendencies and could easily become a fanatic and a rabid rabble-rouser.

The following descriptive data was obtained from KATES and institution file:

Name	DAVID EUGENE KATES
Date of Birth	June 29, 1946
Height	5'10"
Weight	153 pounds
Build	Medium
Hair	Black
Eyes	Brown
Complexion	Fair
FCI #	JO 38-D
Father	<u>JAMES H. KATES, Route 2, Grove,</u> <u>Oklahoma</u>

It was noted that KATES' father had retired as a warrant officer from the Marine Corps after 27 years of service.

The information set out above is being furnished to the Oklahoma City Office as background material on KATES in the event any information is received in the future concerning possible involvement with the ANP.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
San Francisco, California

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

June 11, 1968

UNKNOWN SUBJECT,
PRESENTATION OF ROSES CONTAINING
UNIDENTIFIED DEVICES TO
SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY
JUNE 1, 1968
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

On June 9, 1968, Jerry DeLaVega, 1863 - 9th Avenue,
San Francisco, telephone 565-3814, appeared at the office
of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, San Francisco
with Robert Richardson, 1144 Cervantes Street, Pacifica,
California. DeLaVega is a Yellow Cab driver and made
available a bronze-colored disc with a short wire attached
which gave the impression of being some sort of fusing device
for military ordnance, exact nature of which is unknown.
This device had been discovered by DeLaVega on the floor of his
cab immediately after he had left his fare at the San Francisco
International Airport.

DeLaVega related the following circumstances:

He was driving his cab on Saturday, June 1, 1968, the
day of the Robert F. Kennedy and Eugene McCarthy Debate on
television. He was parked in front of the Hilton Hotel,
San Francisco, at approximately 4:30 p.m., when a man giving
him the impression of a businessman entered his cab. The man
asked DeLaVega where he could locate a couple of girls who
would like to help him out by "putting Kennedy on". DeLaVega
understood this to mean that the man was going to play a
joke on Kennedy. The man said he wanted the girls to
present some flowers to Kennedy.

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UNKNOWN SUBJECT,
PRESENTATION OF ROSES CONTAINING
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SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY
JUNE 1, 1968
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

DeLaVega drove the man to the vicinity of the University of San Francisco looking for a couple of girls and found none. DeLaVega suggested they might find someone in the Haight-Ashbury District of San Francisco. DeLaVega said the man seemed to be a complete stranger to San Francisco. He drove the fare to Stanyan and Haight Streets and picked up a white female juvenile, about 17 to 20 years old, medium build, long dark hair, wearing casual sports clothes. The girl agreed to present the flowers to Kennedy. They drove about a block more and located a white male juvenile, about the same age, with a large German Shepherd dog. The male is described as 5 feet 8 inches tall, 125 to 130 pounds, wearing dark brown clothes. The male agreed to accompany them in presentation of the flowers. Both the girl and male were complete strangers to his fare.

After picking up the two individuals at his fare's request, they drove back to the Hilton Hotel to pick up the flowers. The man went into the hotel and after waiting some time returned to the cab with two green boxes of long stem yellow roses. He sat in the front seat with the driver while the other two were in the back with the dog. The man instructed that they drive to KGO television station where Senators Kennedy and McCarthy were to appear.

DeLaVega observed the man remove the flowers from the boxes and from a brown leather attache case he removed several of the same type of bronze-colored discs, possibly 10 or 12 all wired together with what appeared to be florist wire and wired this group of discs to the yellow roses. He repeated this with the other roses and another group of the discs. The metal discs had apparently been prepared ahead of time and each was wired with wire wrapped around the center of each disc, this being separate from the fine wire soldered to each disc. The man stated that these devices were "bugging devices" and indicated he was not sure but believed the fine wire was going to a telephone some way and the disc fit into the telephone.

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PRESENTATION OF ROSES CONTAINING
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SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY
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The man gave each bunch of the roses to the girl and boy and instructed them to go to each entrance and give them to Kennedy. This was done so that if Kennedy missed one the other would be able to give him the flowers.

DeLaVega said he drove to the television station, parked his cab on Polk Street and all three individuals left the cab and disappeared into the crowd about the time Senators Kennedy and McCarthy arrived. They were gone about 10 to 15 minutes. All three returned to the cab and the girl said she had personally given Kennedy her bunch of the roses. Disposition of the other bunch of the roses is unknown to DeLaVega. The girl said to the man that the discs were apparent to persons in the crowd and several of the people in the crowd seeing the bouquet said "Hey, it's bugged".

DeLaVega said the man seemed pleased that Kennedy had gotten the roses and he observed him pay each of the other two passengers five dollars plus some one dollar bills.

Some time during the cab ride the man had mentioned that McCarthy had gotten a similar bouquet in Los Angeles and he had come up here especially to present the flowers to Kennedy in San Francisco.

After the flowers had been given, the man asked DeLaVega to take him to the San Francisco International Airport after he dropped off the other two. They drove back to the Haight-Ashbury District and the male with his dog got out. The female asked if he could drop her off at home in San Bruno inasmuch as they were going to the airport.

DeLaVega said he took her home and believed he might possibly be able to locate the house again saying that it was in a group of tract homes. He is not sure and he did not record the address any place. He then drove the man to the San Francisco International Airport and believes he delivered him to the United Air Lines area. Cab fare was about \$18, and the man gave him \$35 and told him to keep the change. He described the unknown male fare as a white male American, about 50 years old, 5 feet 8 inches to 5 feet 9 inches tall, weighing 200 pounds, athletic build,

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heavy eyebrows, gray hair, balding or thinning on top, somewhat bushy and long like a hippie at the rear. He wore a full mustache, gray-white in color and gave the impression of being Irish-Danish in descent. He had a fair complexion and a roundish face and wore a watch but no rings. He had on a brown coffee-colored type suit and stated sometime during the ride that he was a salesman for Encyclopedia Britannica. There was no noticeable accent in his speech.

The attache case he carried was of cowhide color and was a square-cornered case with a handle at the top and dividers and carried various papers as well as the metal discs..

On June 10, 1968, Major Edward Hardy, Sixth Army Headquarters, Ordnance Section, Explosive Disposal Program, Presidio of San Francisco, examined the metal disc and could not identify it as an explosive device or component of any explosive device. He examined the contents of the device and noted that the black powder contained therein was not an explosive material.

On that same date the disc was examined by Archie B. Savage, Special Agent, Army Intelligence, Presidio of San Francisco and he could not identify it as any type of recording device with which he was familiar and did not, in fact, believe it to be a recording device.

Date

6/7/68

To:

☐ Director

FILE

OC 89-64

Att.:

☒ SAC Los Angeles

Title

KENSALT

☐ ASAC (AMSD)

☐ Supv.

☐ Agent

☐ SE

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☐ CC

☐ Steno

☐ Clerk

RE

OC TEL to LA

6/7/68

☐ Rotor #:

ACTION DESIRED

☐ Acknowledge

☐ Assign _____ Reassign _____

☐ Bring file

☐ Call me

☐ Correct

☐ Deadline _____

☐ Deadline passed

☐ Delinquent

☐ Discontinue

☐ Expedite

☐ File

☐ For information

☐ Handle

☐ Initial & return

☐ Leads need attention

☐ Return with explanation or notation as to action taken.

☐ Open Case

☐ Prepare lead cards

☐ Prepare tickler

☐ Return assignment card

☐ Return file

☐ Search and return

☐ See me

☐ Serial # _____

☐ Post

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BACKGROUND ON COMPLAINANT

DAVID KATES MENTIONED IN RE TEL.

SAC

Lee O. Teague

Office

Oklahoma City

See reverse side

6/11/68

AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Enclosed for examination by the FBI Laboratory is a ~~bronze-colored disc about 3/4 inch in diameter and a small 3 inch wire which at one time was attached to the disc.~~

Enclosed for the Bureau is the original and three copies of an LHM and for Los Angeles four copies of the LHM setting forth information concerning the disc.

~~SA LARRY NEWMAN, Secret Service, San Francisco,~~
has been advised of this information and a copy of the LHM is being disseminated locally to the Secret Service and the San Francisco Police Department.

NEWMAN stated that ROBERT RICHARDSON had contacted him concerning this matter and he informed RICHARDSON to bring DeLaVega and the device to his office.

NEWMAN has been advised that the device is being forwarded to the FBI Laboratory.

3 - Bureau (Encs. 6) (RM) *NO*
2 - Los Angeles (Encs. 4) (RM)
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Follow
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The FBI Laboratory is requested to examine the device to identify it and the purpose for which its use was intended. Advise Los Angeles and San Francisco of the results of the examination.

The Laboratory can make appropriate disposition of the device and it need not be returned.

June 11, 1968

Airtel

To: SAC, Phoenix

From: Director, FBI (62-587)

KENSALT RE: PHIL LEE CLEVINGER, DAVID MYERS
RONALD HULEN, HENRY RONALD RAMISTELLA

Re New York tel 6/10/68; Bureau telephone calls to Los Angeles, Phoenix, and New York this date.

This will confirm instructions issued in referenced telephone call to New York that Spencer Drayton should be advised that the decision concerning furnishing information on Ramistella to "Life" magazine is for him to make and he should be thanked for advising us of this matter.

Los Angeles and Phoenix were instructed in referenced calls to locate and interview Clevenger, Myers, Hulen and Ramistella, all of whom according to information furnished by "Life" to Drayton, were acquainted with subject Sirhan.

- 2 - Los Angeles
2 - New York

*Tel sent to
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re setting lead
for interview
to interview
Ronald Hulen
and
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J. O. Richardson	

June 6, 1968.

Memo

F.B.I.

Because of the Kennedy assassination, it might
be wise to investigate:-

Arab. . . . Jose E. Saladin
Apt. . . . 4C
247 East 39th Street
New York, N.Y. . . 10016

listed in Manhattan telephone Book as Frank Saladin
685-6338

was supposed to have mentioned that he has a son
in Cuba.

whether this is true or not
is another story.



GRAND CENTRAL
STATION

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Washington, D. C.

Attn: Mr. Hoover.

*anonymous letter
to F.B.I. Washington*

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cc Richard Long

June 11, 1968

AIRTEL

To: SAC, New York ✓
Los Angeles

From: Director, FBI

KENBALT

Enclosed for New York and Los Angeles are Xerox copies of anonymous letter dated 6/6/68, bearing postmark 6/7/68, at New York, New York.

New York should conduct appropriate investigation concerning Jose E. Saladin, aka Frank.

Keep Bureau and Los Angeles advised of pertinent developments.

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Richard

June 11, 1968

Airtel

To: SACs, WFO, Los Angeles

From: Director, FBI(62-587)

KENSALT

Mr. P. J. McNichol, Assistant Director for Security, United States Information Agency (USIA), advised Liaison 6/5/68 that one Zaki Anis, an employee of the Voice of America, USIA, has reported to that Agency that he, Anis, is acquainted with a chauffeur at the Saudi Arabian Embassy, Washington, D. C., one Bassim Akkad. This latter individual, according to Anis, is acquainted with another employee of the Saudi Arabian Embassy, unidentified, who knows Sirhan Sirhan, the individual involved in captioned matter. According to Anis, this embassy employee describes Sirhan as a Palestinian Christian coming from Silvan Village, a suburb of Jerusalem on the Jordanian side of the 1948 armistice line. He states that Sirhan comes from a well-to-do family and has been in the United States for 5 years as a student.

McNichol stated that should the FBI desire to interview Anis for further details, arrangements can be made through the Chief of the Arabian Service, USIA, Pierce Bullen (Code 13, Extension 33076).

WFO handle and advise.

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[Handwritten signature: Richard]

Bert H. Moore
311 W. Fardon Street
Litchfield, Illinois 62056

June 6, 1968

Mr. Walter Cronkite
C. B. S. News Sept.
New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Cronkite:

In watching your T.V. News Report on Monday evening, June 3rd, from 5:30 to 6:00 P.M. Central Daylight Time. I noticed an incident that happened on the screen, that has not been mentioned in this awful tragic of shooting Robert F. Kennedy. I thought this could be a lead as to other persons involved with the accused. At the time I saw it, it looked so real, that it could prove something, in case some one wanted to see just how close they could get to Kennedy. I wish it was possible to be able to see this re-run again.

The scene was with Robert Kennedy riding on the open flat-bed platform of a truck. A person who was standing on the ground at the edge of the truck, and very close to Kennedy, raised his arm, pointed it right at Kennedy, which looked like he had an object that resembled an gun, and said "Bang". Kennedy was very startled for an second, and looked at this person very close, with a peculiar look, and had a disturbing doubtful expression on his face. At this second, the camera-man switched the scene.

I would appreciate it if you personally would check this film close to see if it does prove anything. This is on my mind very much, as I thought for a second, it was for real.

Thanking you in advance, I remain.

Yours truly,

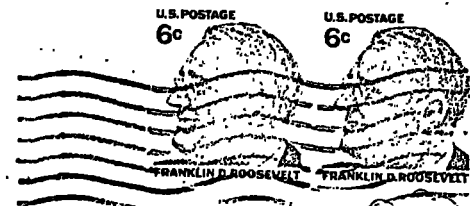
Bert H. Moore
Bert H. Moore

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cc: Federal Bureau of Investigation, Penn. Ave. at 49th N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Bert H. Moore
311 W. Gordon Street
Litchfield, Ill. 62056



Federal Bureau of Investigation
Pennsylvania Ave. at 9th N. W.
Washington, D. C.

FBI

Date: **June 11, 1968**Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via **Airtel** _____
(Priority)**To: SAC, Los Angeles****From: Director, FBI****KENSALT**

Enclosed herewith for Los Angeles is a self-explanatory letter addressed to Walter Cronkite, CBS News, dated 6/6/68 from Bert H. Moore.

Moore is not identifiable in Bureau files.

Handle.

Enclosure

*see
LA airtel to
NAC
7/2/68*

See Ser 1193

[Signature]

*See airtel to
New York 7/1/68
re: [unclear]*

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[Signature]

Sent Via _____

Per _____

June, 7, 1968.

2644 East Virginia Ave
Phoenix 85018 Arizona

Federal Bureau Of Investigation.

Re: Kennedy Shooting

Washington D.C.

Gentlemen:

T.V. 10

While watching Channel 12 (or 10) in Phoenix Ariz.

Immediately after the shooting, a real tall ^{MAN} tall guy was focused on for quite awhile, in the exciting mob scene. Both my husband and I remarked how nervous and suspiciously he was acting. We even said, "They ought to grab that ^{MAN} guy, look hes getting away," and no one noticed him. Hes eyes roamed from side to side, like like afraid he would be picked up, or grabbed any minute. On the other hand, could this be the "tall ^{MAN} guy" looking for that girl, supposed to ^{WRITE} run down back stairs?

This mornings local Republic photo of the father is so so much like this ^{MAN} guy, that we wonder, could it be the father ^{AND WAS} flown back fast, to avoid being caught (Private Planes) or an Uncle that was a helper, or a relative? Paper photo so much like him on T.V.

The same long skinny face, the same eyes, same mouth, same checker suit, tall, and educated looking. ^{IF} Run films, he stands out like a light, with fright for ^{POSSIBLE} escape. OR?

Anyway Just hope this may help ^{IF} overlooked, to check it.
Sincerely sorry,

Mrs Ida Lister

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

June 11, 1968

~~Mrs. Ida Steiner~~
2644 East Virginia Avenue
Phoenix, Arizona 85008

Dear Mrs. Steiner:

I have received your letter dated June 7, 1968, with its enclosure.

Thank you for your observations in connection with the murder of Senator Robert F. Kennedy. You may be assured that every possible investigative effort is being made in connection with this case.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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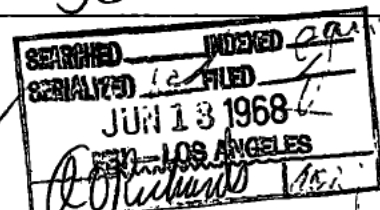
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To: SAC, Los Angeles

✓ From: Director, FBI

KENSALT

Enclosed herewith for Los Angeles is a Xerox copy of a letter from Ida Steiner. Also enclosed is a copy of the Bureau reply for your information in captioned case.

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To: SAC, Los Angeles**From: Director, FBI****KENSALT**

News releases reviewed by the Bureau indicate that Jesus Perez and Paul Grieco are witnesses with first hand information concerning captioned case. Perez may be an employee of the Ambassador Hotel and indicated to the news media that subject Sirhan Bishara Sirhan asked him three or four times if Kennedy would pass through the narrow passageway where Sirhan was standing just prior to the shooting. Grieco was identified by the press as a senior at Woodbury College, who was in the Kennedy party in the immediate vicinity of the Senator at the time of the shooting. Senator Kennedy is supposed to have asked "Is Paul alright" immediately following the shooting.

If not already done, Los Angeles should interview Perez and Grieco for any pertinent information they may be able to furnish concerning this case.

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AIR MAIL

Via _____
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TO: SAC, ALBANY
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Washington Field tel to Director 6/13/68.

Enclosed for the assistance of pertinent offices is a photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

Washington Field as soon as possible submit to Los Angeles identities and addresses of members of official KENNEDY party as provided by KENNEDY headquarters, Washington, D. C. to avoid duplicate leads and interviews.

- 2 - Albany (Encl. 1) (AM)
- 2 - Houston (Encl. 1) (AM)
- 2 - New York (Encl. 1) (AM)
- 2 - Salt Lake City (Encl. 1) (AM)
- 2 - Seattle (Encl. 1) (AM)
- 2 - Washington Field (Encl. 1) (AM)
- 2 - Los Angeles

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*Los Angeles request to Washington
for identities & addresses of
members of Official Party*

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Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : *RHM* SUPERVISOR ROBERT H. MATHESON, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/13/68

At 3:50 P.M., 6/13/68, RONALD T. BENNETT telephonically furnished the following information:

BENNETT, known as Ron Bennett, is a photographer for United Press International (UPI) in Los Angeles, address 1543 West Olympic Boulevard, Suite 438, telephone 387-7221. BENNETT stated that on the night Senator KENNEDY was shot at the Ambassador Hotel, BENNETT was several feet from KENNEDY when the shots were fired and dove for the floor at the same time that Senator KENNEDY was felled. He stated that he immediately started taking pictures and that all of the black and white UPI photos published to date were taken by him. He said these photographs have all been forwarded to UPI, New York, and felt sure these would be made available to the FBI upon request. BENNETT said that he would be readily available for interview by the FBI if desired.

BENNETT furnished his home telephone number as 545-2614.

determine who and what office at UPI, NY should be contacted for photos and send Teletype to NY.

RHM, JR./gnt
(3) *gnt*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA JAMES E. HOFFER

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/13/68

INVESTIGATION CONCERNING CHANANN HAMZA

Re Los Angeles memo of SA DAVID H. COOK 6/10/68.

The following investigation was conducted by
SA JAMES E. HOFFER at Pomona, California.

On 6/13/68, Mr. LYNN WILSON, Assistant Dean of Students, Cal Poly, Pomona, advised he could find no record for a CHANANN HAMZA in his records, however, they have a student who just completed the Spring Quarter by the name of KANAN HAMZEH, who formerly went to Pasadena City College and is an electronics student. It would appear this individual is identical with captioned individual. HAMZEH listed his address as 465 North El Molino, Pasadena.

LEADS

LOS ANGELES

AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA. Will interview KANAN HAMZEH to determine if identical with captioned individual and determine degree of association of KANAN HAMZEH with SIRHAN SIRHAN and any additional information he may be able to furnish.

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)

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KENSALT

~~FRED CANNON~~, California Blue Shield, San Francisco, advised that he was in the Tudor Room of the Sheraton-Wilshire Hotel the day before KENNEDY was assassinated and overheard the Negro bartender say that he had been asked to serve at the victory reception for Senator KENNEDY and added that he hoped he would not get shot at. CANNON could not further identify the bartender and thought nothing of the statement at the time, but is reporting it now since the assassination of KENNEDY.

LOS ANGELES OFFICE

At the Sheraton-Wilshire Hotel, will locate and interview the Negro bartender concerning his statement.

② Los Angeles
1 San Francisco

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Date: 6/12/68

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, DALLAS (175-9) (P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

OO-LOS ANGELES

Re Bureau teletype to all SACs dated 6/7/68.

For information of Los Angeles, indices of Dallas Office and criminal records of major police departments in Dallas Division checked with negative results for any information concerning SIRHAN under the alias GHATTAS.

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On June 11, 1968, ~~Miss DOROTHY MC DANIEL~~, Chief Dietician, Good Samaritan Hospital, made available a letter addressed to Mrs. MC DANIEL, Diet Kitchen, The Hospital of the Good Samaritan, Medical Center, 1212 Shatto Street, Los Angeles, California. The letter bore the return address of Mrs. NADIA MORALES, 121 Spencer Avenue, Apartment C, Modesto, California. The letter was postmarked March 29, 1968, at ~~Modesto~~ Modesto, California. The text of the letter was as follows:

STENO COPY ATTACHED LETTER....letter to become a l-a in case file.

R/p 302

See 1053
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SUPERVISOR RICHARD J. STILLING

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/10/68

Miss ~~ELSTIE BAER~~, 418 South Normandie, Los Angeles, Apartment 216, telephone number 383-7762, telephonically contacted the writer on 6/10/68. She advised she had information concerning captioned case and requested that an agent contact her between 11:00 and 11:30 a.m. on 6/11/68.

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SA RICHARD M. FOX

KENSALT

In connection with the investigation conducted in this matter, Agents RICHARD M. FOX and MYRON M. HITCH attempted to locate a barmaid at the Golden Garter Bar, 2605 West Valley Boulevard, Alhambra, California, on 6/11/68, with negative results.

On 6/13/68, Miss LINDA STURGEON was contacted by Agents RICHARD M. FOX and JOSEPH A. KRAHLING at her residence, 13722 Telegraph Road, Whittier, California. She was questioned as to patrons of the Golden Garter Bar, where she is employed as a barmaid, as to whether or not SIRHAN B. SIRHAN had ever frequented this bar. After stating that he had not she said, "I don't know why the big fuss is being made over this, since both the owners, CARL and ANDY, are a little unstable." She said they have mistaken another individual for SIRHAN and they are trying to "play it up for business purposes." She said, "To show you how unstable they are, when I went to work Wednesday either CARL or ANDY told me that two FBI Agents had been looking for me on Tuesday, 6/11/68. He said that MICKEY, the barmaid, was shooting pool at a pool table and laying on the table. One of the Agents tried to get MICKEY in the back room and sock it to her. He said that the Agents stayed around for awhile and were talking to MICKEY, and one of the Agents had a beer while they were there."

Miss STURGEON said, "Even I didn't believe that, and it just goes to show you the stories that these two men are capable of telling."

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA TIMOTHY L. DONOVAN

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/13/68

RE INTERVIEWS OF MEMBERS OF
OFFICIAL KENNEDY PARTY

The Bureau advised this phase should be aggressively pursued as it is of utmost importance. It is also necessary to determine if there have been last minute changes following Senator KENNEDY's victory speech or just prior thereto, which resulted in his proceeding to the Colonial Room for purpose of press conference rather than to the Ambassador Ballroom. If a change did occur, attempt to determine who made the change, why the change was made and to what it was made.

The Washington Field Office has advised that one BILL MANNESS, 8041 Fordham Road, Los Angeles, California was a member of the Senator's official party in Los Angeles.

LEADS

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. Interview BILL MANNESS
in accordance with the above.

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Hale advised 6/14/68

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Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases NADINE BOOHER, aka Nadine SKAFF			Address of subject <u>11141 Mansel</u> <u>Lenox, Calif</u>			Character of case KENSALT
Complainant CLAUDIA ASHBURN protect identity			Complainant's address and telephone number <u>11975 Manor Dr.</u> <u>Hawthorne, Calif.</u> <u>676-3169</u>			Complaint received ☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date <u>6-13-68</u> Time <u>3/35pm</u>
Subject's Description	Race	Sex	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace
	Age	☐ Male ☐ Female	Weight	Eyes	Complexion	
	Scars, marks or other data Subject owns the <u>Malibu Rivera Restraunt, Malibu, Calif.</u> <u>20356 Pac. Hwy. 456-6691</u>					
Facts of complaint C. stated she had overheard her sister, subject, state "Turk said if <u>HOPPA</u> isn't out, <u>KENNEDY</u> will never get in". Subject had said this last Saturday. At first the C. did not want to tell the writer who the subject was, but when told her identity would be protected she stated the subject was her sister., C. stated she did not know if the above means anything but it had been worrying her.						
Recd 6/21 Tel contact - neg. 6/24 - not expected in 6/27 7/1 Interviewed !!! 302 dictated Paula Cornell 7/21 56-156-556 SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 12 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES Hansen [initials] Reassign to Castigan SM - RA 1cc to Sub. Section 3C 56-156 Larry E. Mullins (Agent)						

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : SA EMMETT B. DOHERTY

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Lt. MANUEL S. PENA, who is in charge of the new Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) group investigating the KENNEDY assassination, advised on 6/13/68, that he desires everything the FBI has which might be pertinent to the trial of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN. In particular, Lt. PENA wants statements of people interviewed at the Ambassador Hotel of people placed at the crime scene. He also desires statements of interviews of people of the KENNEDY party.

He requested that the LAPD be given the results of any foreign investigation on the background of subject SIRHAN and his family, particularly anything suggesting or eliminating possible political conspiracy and anything of a local nature supporting or eliminating any intra United States or local conspiracy. Lt. PENA advised that it is necessary for him to know whether this information is forthcoming from the FBI or whether the LAPD will have to make its own arrangements to obtain same.

Lt. PENA further advised that there would be no distribution of LAPD material until he personally had a chance to review this material.

*Discussed with
Chief Hargrave
Pena is expecting his
all authority
Tell Pena when
appropriate if he
wants to see
"Pena"*

*They have been
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is forthcoming
Pena approved*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA MYRON M. HITCH

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At approximately 1:30 p.m., on 6/12/68, RICHARD ALLEN KLIEN, Public Relations Director, California Campaign for Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, advised that JUDY ROYER, a KENNEDY campaign worker, was in the passageway behind the stage of the Embassy Room at the Ambassador Hotel on the night Senator KENNEDY was shot. RICHARD KLIEN stated that he understands JUDY ROYER believes she saw SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN in that passageway prior to the shooting. JUDY ROYER is employed by former California Governor PAT BROWN during the day and can be contacted at telephone number 278-1960 to set up an interview.

LEAD

Contact JUDY ROYER at telephone number 278-1960 and set up an interview relative to any information she may possess relating to SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

JUDY ROYER
9418 Wilshire
Suite 300

Judy Royer
6/13/68
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : TIMOTHY L. DONOVAN

SUBJECT: KENSALT

RE INTERVIEWS OF MEMBERS OF OFFICIAL KENNEDY PARTY

The Bureau advised this phase should be aggressively pursued as it is of utmost importance. It is also necessary to determine if there had been last minute changes following Senator KENNEDY's victory speech or just prior thereto, which resulted in his proceeding to the Colonial Room for purpose of press conference rather than to the Ambassador Ballroom. If a change did occur, attempt to determine who made the change, why the change was made and to what it was made.

On 6/7/68, EDWARD MINASIAN advised SA NICHOLAS R. MC GAHAN and SA E. RHEAD RICHARDS, JR. that the original plans following the Senator's victory speech were for the Senator to leave the Embassy Room through the curtains at the rear, turn left and go down stairs via the stairway to the Ambassador Ballroom. Mr. MINASIAN stated that at the last minute plans changed to take Senator KENNEDY and his party to the Colonial Room which was the working press room.

MINASIAN resides at 129 North Lamer Street, Burbank, California and employed in the catering department at the Ambassador Hotel where he has been so employed for approximately five years.

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LOS ANGELES

AT BURBANK OR LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. Interview MINASIAN and determine source of his knowledge as to the original plans for the Senator following his speech, from whom he had heard there was a change in plans and who may have made them.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC LOS ANGELES

DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : SA GEORGE A. FELLOWS

SUBJECT: ~~###~~ ANTONIO MORAN, aka
(fnu) Griffin

Miscellaneous Information

On 6/13/68 Mrs. MARY MILLER telephonically contacted the F.B.I. Office. She alleged that captioned individual was in some way connected with the assassination of ROBERT F. KENNEDY. She stated MORAN "fired four shots the night of the assassination" ^{AT 11:50 HOURS}. She was unable to substantiate how she knew he fired these shots since she did not see him do so nor did she observe him at any time before, during, or since with any type of weapon. MILLER also claimed she heard (or overheard) MORAN tell an unknown female in the hallway that he was going to the hotel and that he would be back shortly.

MILLER's belief that MORAN had something to do with the assassination also lies in her belief that he is of Mexican - Syrian nationality, that he leaves his apartment early in the morning and of her opinion that he is "going to get rid of the woman in room 417 for insurance".

MILLER stated she lives across the hallway from MORAN and that she is afraid of him and for that reason she did not wish to be recontacted. SA FELLOWS advised her that it would be necessary to contact her personally and obtain the full details but MILLER requested she not be recontacted.

MILLER advised the address where she and MORAN reside is 735 South Hartford in Los Angeles. She described MORAN as 5'4", slim build and in his mid 40's. She was unaware of his employment.

MILLER was non-specific, vague and unable to furnish any factual information concerning MORAN which might substantiate her allegation. She declined to furnish her apartment number based on her wish not to be contacted.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : SA GILBERT G. BENJAMIN

SUBJECT: KENSALT

LA 5008-PSI, telephonically contacted the writer at 11:50 AM, this date (6/13/68) to advise she had just been listening to the MICHAEL JACKSON program, on Radio Station KABC, at 11:30 AM.

JACKSON was making a long distance telephone call to London, England, talking with a Mr. KIMPSEY (phonetic), who allegedly is a journalist with the "EVENING STANDARD," London newspaper; and who formerly was a writer with the "JEWISH OBSERVER."

According to KIMPSEY, he had obtained the following information, which he said he had not yet passed on to the FBI or other authorities. He said he had learned that SIRHAN SIRHAN, assailant of ROBERT F. KENNEDY, had made three trips to the Middle East, since his original emigration to the United States.

Reportedly the first of these trips was when he was age 15 or 16 years. The second was for 7 months in 1964, during which time he allegedly spent most of that 7 month period in Damascus, Syria. The most recent trip was in 1966, when the major portion of his time was spent in Cairo, United Arab Republic (Egypt).

KIMPSEY also reported that his sources had located the church records proving SIRHAN SIRHAN to have been married. LA 5008-PSI said that an interruption just at that time, made it impossible for her to hear whether or not KIMPSEY indicated where this alleged marriage took place and/or where the church record was located. She did indicate; however, that she is sure that either MICHAEL JACKSON, or Radio Station KABC could provide this latter information, if it was not already available to the FBI.

- ① - LA 56-156 (KENSALT)
1 - LA 134-2814A (LA 5008-PSI)

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : SA FREDRICK E. BECKER

SUBJECT: KENSAIT

Re memo of SA PAUL CHAMBERLAIN, JR., dated 6/13/68.

On the night of 6/13/68, Mrs. THEODORE STEVENS, 586 Pullman Street, Los Angeles, made available the names and addresses of the following persons who were in attendance at the 5/28/68 meeting of the "Ancient Mystical Order Rosae Crucis" (AMORC) in Pasadena, California.

✓ ILLEEN SKIPWORTH, 1111½ Highland Oaks Drive, Arcadia, California *Wimmer*

✓ LEROY CLEMENS, 438 Hurstview, Monrovia, California *Wimmer*

ZANE THOMPSON, 2216 Highland Oaks Drive, Arcadia, California *Ryan*

VIRGINIA JACKA, 326 So. Berkeley Ave., Pasadena, California *Ryan*

SALLY & GEORGE HARDMAN, 12104 Ranchito, El Monte, California *Murray*

VERNON SCHERZER, 400 Burchett Street, Glendale, California *Murray*

WILAMAY HARRISON, 230 W. Washington, Pasadena, California *Joss*

ROY HARTRANFT, 100 Palmetto Drive, Pasadena, California *Joss*

GRACE BRYAN, 8450 E. Mission Drive, Rosemead, California *Miller*

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*cc to Wimmer
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COORDINATE

~~ELEANOR ANDREW, 946 Jane Place, Pasadena,~~
~~California~~ *MULLER*

~~EDWARD RYMAN, 2316 Monta Vista, Pasadena,~~
~~California~~ *SAWYER*

~~VERNA MILLER, 4636 N. Earle, Rosemead,~~
~~California~~ *SAWYER*

~~DELORES ABANG, 405 E. Howard, Pasadena,~~
~~California~~ *LEESON*

~~EMOGENE ACOB, 2090 N. Raymond, Altadena,~~
~~California~~ *LEESON*

LEAD

The above listed persons should be interviewed in an effort to determine if SIRHAN B. SIRHAN was in attendance at the above described lodge meeting on 5/28/68.

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Date: 6/13/68

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(Priority)

TO: SAC, DETROIT
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

The Los Angeles Office is contacting the teachers who taught SIRHAN SIRHAN while he was in attendance at John Muir High School, Pasadena, California. Among those teachers listed was a Mrs. VELMA MARLOW who taught SIRHAN 10th grade algebra about 1960.

Records of Pasadena School Department show address for Mrs. MARLOW as Apartment 5, 450 Ford Place, Pasadena.

Mrs. WALTER BECKER, Apartment 5, 450 Ford Place, Pasadena, advised on 6/12/68 that she did not know Mrs. MARLOW. She also advised that these apartments were owned by the Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena.

Mrs. J. BIERMA, Business Office, Fuller Theological Seminary, advised on 6/13/68 that Mr. ROBERT JAMES MARLOW and his wife resided in Apartment 5, 450 Ford Place about 1961-62. Mrs. BIERMA stated that Mr. and Mrs. MARLOW are presently residing at 13202 Irvington Drive, Warren, Michigan (48093).

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Detroit at Warren, Michigan will locate and interview Mrs. VELMA MARLOW; 13202 Irvington Drive, for any information she might recall concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN.

Will forward results of above interview to the Los Angeles Office.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM LEGAT LONDON NO. 52

KENSALT.

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RE: **KENSALT**

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IMMEDIATE

REF: STATE 176785

1. SEARCH OF PERTINENT CONGEN RECORDS (UNDER VARIOUS COMBINATIONS THREE NAMES KENNEDY SHOOTING SUSPECT REFTEL) SHOWS ONLY FOLLOWING MEMBERS SIRHAN FAMILY. ALL WERE AMCITS WHEN REGISTERED AT CONGEN.

A. SALIM SIRHAN, DOB FEB 10, 1920 AT TAYBEH, NEAR RAMALLAH. NATURALIZED PITTSBURG 1926. US PASSPORT [REDACTED] ISSUED WASHINGTON MAY 26, 1960. REGISTERED HERE AUG 15, 1960. SALESMAN. EMERGENCY ADDRESS MRS. MIRIAM S. SIRHAN (WIFE), 1211 HUBBARD ST., DETROIT, MICHIGAN.

B. NIMEH SALEM SIRHAN, BORN AMCIT JAN 23, 1948, TAYBEH NEAR RAMALLAH. REGISTERED AT CONGEN. UNE 11, 1962. STUDENT. FATHER IS AYED SALEM SIRHAN OF TAYBEH.

C. AID SALIM SIRHAN, BORN TAYBEH, DOB UNKNOWN TO CONGEN. APPLIED FOR REGISTRATION DEC 8, 1964. COMMENT: AID SALI MAY BE VARIANT SPELLING OF AYED SALEM, FATHER OF (B) ABOVE.

2. CONGEN ISSUED NO RPT NO VISAS PRIOR SEPT. 1917.

3. CONGEN HAD HAD PRESS INQUIRIES FROM MICHAEL EL INS (BBC AND CBS) AND TERENCE SMITH (NYTIMES), PLUS LOCAL JOURNALIST RAJA AL ISSA (FORMER EDITOR ORDANIAN AL FALASTIN). ALL WERE INFORMED CONGEN HAS NO RPT NO KNOWLEDGE SIRHAN SIRHAN. AL ISSA WAS ASKED IF HE KNEW MAN OR FAMILY AND HE REPLIED NEGATIVE.

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4. LOCAL EMPLOYEE OF CONGEN IS RESIDENT OF SILWAN VILLAGE, WHICH RADIO REPORTS INDICATE WAS ORIGINAL HOME OF SUSPECT IN KENNEDY ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT. WE HAVE QUERIED HIM, SINCE HE CONSIDERED VERY KNOWLEDGEABLE ABOUT LOCAL RESIDENTS. FAMILY NAME FAMILIAR BUT DOES NOT RPT NOT KNOW ANY FIRST NAMES GIVEN REFTEL FOR SUSPECT OR BROTHERS.

GP-3 CAMPBELL

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AIR MAIL

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TO : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO
FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/13/68, Mr. IRVIN G. LEWIS, Dean for Student Personnel Services, Pasadena City College (PCC), Pasadena, California, advised the following teachers taught SIRHAN SIRHAN while he was at PCC:

Mr. TED BANKS, who taught physical education, track and field to SIRHAN in the spring of 1965. BANKS is presently teaching at San Jose State College.

Mr. LOWELL BEAN, who taught English 1-A to SIRHAN in the spring of 1964. BEAN is presently teaching at Hayward State College, Hayward, California.

Mr. DONALD PROCTOR, who taught History 1-B to SIRHAN in spring 1964. PROCTOR is presently teaching history at the Dearbourn Branch, University of Michigan.

LEADS

SAN FRANCISCO

AT SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA: Will interview TED BANKS for general background, political and nationalistic tendencies of SIRHAN and any information pertinent to the present investigation of SIRHAN.

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AT HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA: Will interview Mr. LOWELL BEAN at Hayward State College for general background, political and nationalistic tendencies of SIRHAN and any information pertaining to the present investigation of SIRHAN.

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AT DEARBOURN, MICHIGAN: Will interview Mr. DONALD PROCTOR at the Dearbourn Branch, University of Michigan for general background, political and nationalistic tendencies of SIRHAN and any information pertinent to the present investigation of SIRHAN.

Photographs of SIRHAN are enclosed for San Francisco and Detroit.

6/12/68

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (89-61)

KENSALT.

REBUTEL CHICAGO AND LOS ANGELES JUNE TEN, LAST
CONCERNING LOCATION OF WAYNE LEE SPARKS WEEKEND MAY THIRTY-
ONE - JUNE THREE, LAST.

INVESTIGATION BRIDGEVIEW, ILL. INDICATES SPARKS'
WIFE RECENTLY MOVED FROM SEVEN EIGHT THREE THREE COLUMBIA
DRIVE TO SIX EIGHT TWO FOUR LA PORTE, BRIDGEVIEW CARE OF
C . A. CARLSEN. ATTEMPTS TO CONTACT ANYONE THIS ADDRESS
NEGATIVE TO DATE.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING. AM CC TO LOS ANGELES.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)

KENSALT

Re: SAMIR M. KHALAF

Re WFO tel to Bureau, 6/10/68, and SF tel to Bureau, 6/11/68.

On 6/12/68, ADIB KHALAF, 1423 35th Ave., San Francisco, and his mother, CLARA BUTRUS KHALAF, of the same address were interviewed regarding their knowledge of KHALAF.

Both stated that KHALAF is unknown to them. All of the KHALAFs in San Francisco are related to their family and none of them have this name. They said that there were also families with this same name in Chicago, Detroit, and Houston, to whom they are related. They were not aware of any KHALAFS in either St. Louis or Massachusetts. They both commented that KHALAF is a very common Jordanian name.

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Date: **June 12, 1968**Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority)To: **SAC, Los Angeles**From: **Director, FBI****KENSALT**

For the information of the Bureau, Los Angeles should advise if the original sale and all subsequent transfers of the pistol used by Sirhan Bishara Sirhan were in accordance with existing California laws concerning such transfers.

*Transfers of sales of murder
weapon
Dir airtel 6/12/68*

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USA, re this matter.*

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AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

ReBuairtel 6/12/68 requesting information as to whether or not the sale and transfer of pistol utilized by SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was in accordance with existing California laws concerning such transfers.

ROBERT BROGIO, Chief, Criminal Division, U. S. Attorney's Office, Los Angeles, advises of the following information concerning gun laws in the State of California as pertains to individuals:

California Penal Code, Section 12021, states:
"Any person who is not a citizen of the United States and any person who has been convicted of a felony under the laws of the United States, of the State of California or any other state, government or country, or who is addicted to the use of any narcotic drug, who owns or has in his possession or under his custody or control, any pistol, revolver, or other firearm capable of being concealed upon the person, is guilty of a public offense, and shall be punishable by imprisonment in the state prison not exceeding fifteen years or in county jail not exceeding one year, or by a fine not exceeding \$500 or by both."

California Penal Code, Section 12072, applies to individuals with the exception of persons engaged in the legitimate sale of firearms as a business: "No person, corporation or dealer shall sell, deliver or otherwise

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transfer any pistol, revolver or other firearm capable of being concealed upon the person, to any person whom he has cause to believe to be within any of the classes prohibited by Section 12021 from owning or possessing such firearms, nor to any minor under the age of 18 years. In no event shall any firearm be delivered to the purchaser within five days of the application for the purchase thereof, and when delivered such firearm shall be securely wrapped and shall be unloaded. Where neither party to the transaction holds a dealer's license, no person shall sell or otherwise transfer any such firearm to any other person within this state who is not personally known to the vendor. Any violation of the provisions of this section is a misdemeanor."

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6-9-68

FROM : SAA HAROLD R. BODILY

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re SF teletype 6-7-68

The following investigation at Los Angeles, California was conducted by SAA HAROLD R. BODILY on 6-9-68:

~~RITA WHITE~~, Manager, Barclay House, 675 North Kenmore, advised she was not managing the apartment in September 1967 and that no one by the name of BELA FOLDI has lived at this apartment house since she arrived a few months ago. She was shown a photo of BELA FOLDI and said she did not recognize it. She has no records of prior tenants.

She said the only persons living at the apartment house in September 1967 were HAROLD HULBUT in 105, HAROLD VON BYERN in 209, and VELDON CORNFIELD in 311. Mr. HULBUT said he was not living at this location in September 1967 and did not recognize FOLDI's photograph; no one was home in 209; Mr. CORNFIELD said he did not recognize FOLDI's photograph and said he had never heard of him.

~~FRANCES MALONE~~, 4216 Berenice Place, owner of Barclay House, advised she remembered BELA FOLDI as a resident of Apartment 302 at the Barclay House. After checking her records, she found information indicating he occupied Apt 302 on 11-20-67. She said, however, he could have lived in another aptment prior to that time. He left 1-8-68 and she believes his address is in a book that is kept at the apartment house. She was shown a photograph of BELA FOLDI whom she identified as the person who resided at Barclay House.

The photo of BELA FOLDI shown to the above persons was obtained from Los Angeles File 26-37181 entitled BELA FOLDI, ITSMV.

FRANCE MALONE's description of FOLDI fits the description of the subject of File 26-37181.

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SUBJ: KENNEDY ASSASSINATION

1. FOLLOWING IS REPORT AS BEING CONCEIVABLY OF INTEREST IN CONNECTION KENNEDY ASSASSINATION INVESTIGATION. ON JUNE 8 US CITIZEN JOHN A. SWEDE (PASSPORT [REDACTED] CALLED ON EMBASSY DUTY OFFICER TO REPORT CONVERSATION MAY 17, 1968 WITH WAITER AT AMBASSADOR HOTEL BAGDAD. DURING DINNER HOTEL WAITER APPROACHED SWEDE AND WIFE TO ASK IF THEY HAD HEARD SENATOR ROBERT KENNEDY HAD BEEN SHOT. IN SUBSEQUENT CONVERSATION WAITER ASSERTED HE HAD POSITIVELY HEARD KENNEDY SHOT IN HEAD BUT NOT YET DEAD. SAID HE HAD HEARD REPORT ON SPECIAL GOVERNMENT RADIO BROADCAST THAT DAY.

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2. SWEDE INDICATED HE HAD NO REASON BELIEVE THIS PREMATURE REPORT HAD ANY CONNECTION WITH SUBSEQUENT TRAGEDY BUT WORTH MENTIONING TO US AUTHORITIES. IF REPORT OF ANY INTEREST HE CAN BE CONTACTED IN LOS ANGELES AFTER HIS RETURN ABOUT JUNE 20. ADDRESS GIVEN AT 1631 CAMDEN AVENUE, LOS ANGELES 90025, TELEPHONE 4771989. ALTERNATIVELY MAY BE REACHED AT PARENTS' HOME 12751 MARLBORO STREET, LOS ANGELES, 90049, TELEPHONE 4720972.

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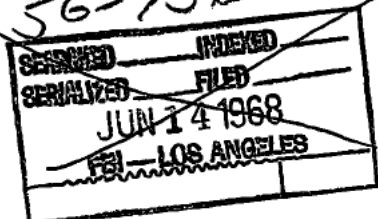
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RE: KENSALT

- ☐ For information ☐ Retention optional ☒ For appropriate action ☐ Surep, by _____
- ☐ The enclosed is for your information. If used in a future report, ☐ conceal all sources, ☐ paraphrase contents.
- ☐ Enclosed are corrected pages from report of SA _____ dated _____

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Mrs. PENNA ESHOO, 405 North Palm, Turlock, California, interviewed at the residence of, and in the presence of Mrs. SAVANNAH STONER, 330 North Palm, Turlock, furnished the following information:

On the date that the KENNEDY Election Special Train arrived at the Southern Pacific Railroad Station in Turlock, California, recalled by Mrs. ESHOO as a Sunday, date unknown, she went to the station with ELISHA (phonetic) MOOSHEY and his wife, MARTHA MOOSHEY, 315 Hollywood Way, Burbank, California. It is noted that the train actually was in Turlock on Memorial Day, May 30, 1968. They arrived at the station prior to the publicized time of arrival, at about 2:30 PM. Mr. MOOSHEY obtained a seat in a patio area away from the station platform and Mrs. ESHOO and Mrs. MOOSHEY went to the concrete platform area, between the station and the railroad tracks. There were one or two small children playing on the tracks, and no adults in the platform area. Shortly thereafter two men, who appeared to be together, appeared on the platform. Mrs. ESHOO described them as follows:

1) Male adult, nationality unknown, one or two inches shorter than Mrs. ESHOO who is 5'3", weight 120 to 125 pounds, with small build, age 20-21, hair "pitch" black and wavy, very heavy and shiny with oil with loose locks of hair hanging over part of forehead; eyebrows and eyelashes prominent and very black; noticeable pimples on face which appeared discolored, or with multiple colored patches which gave a scarred appearance, as from acne or bad facial condition. Eyes dark or black with noticeable puffiness or circles under them; nose broad and flat, face round. This person was wearing "all dark clothing", exact color unknown. He wore canvas "gym shoes", color unknown; a heavy dark jacket with buttons, apparently of wool, similar to the type worn in the Navy. She does not know if there were one or two rows of buttons

On 6/6/68 at Turlock, California File # SC

by SA DONALD H. MOE/mdd

Date dictated 6/6/68

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on the jacket. One front side of the jacket was lapped over the other. His hands were in his trouser pockets which raised the front of the coat slightly, but the coat came to about mid-thigh. She cannot describe the trousers except that they were dark. He wore no glasses or hat. Mrs. ESHOO saw no jewelry of any kind.

2) White male adult at least 6'1" in height (one foot taller than No. 1), age 20-21, weight 140-145 pounds, slender build, hair "the color of a brown paper bag", complexion light or fair, wearing a white long sleeved shirt, open at the neck, suntan pants, shoes unknown, no glasses or hat, and no jewelry seen. This man also kept his hands in his pockets.

Mrs. MOOSHEY said to Mrs. ESHOO that the man wearing the coat "looks awfully suspicious" and Mrs. ESHOO replied that he certainly did since he was wearing such a heavy coat in the very hot weather. Thereafter, Mrs. MOOSHEY departed to sit with her husband. Mrs. ESHOO stayed on the platform within five or six feet of the two men. Thereafter a girl appeared on the platform. Mrs. ESHOO described her as follows:

White female adult, young, age unknown, 5'6", 170 pounds, heavy build, bushy curly hair, unkempt, cut short at nape of neck, big head and face, light complexion, wearing white blouse with long sleeves, a straight blue skirt and gym shoes, color unknown. She was carrying a brown leather handbag with an overlapping cover, which was fringed or cut along the edges and which she described as the "cowboy type". She had some large round KENNEDY buttons about three or four inches in diameter which she was selling for 50¢ each. She thinks the girl had four of these in her handbag.

Mrs. ESHOO overheard this girl talking to the tall blond man in a language she did not recognize. Mrs. ESHOO understands, but does not speak Portuguese and Arabic and speaks

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Turkish, Russian, and Assyrian, her native tongue; it was none of these languages. The girl had come from inside the train station and was overheard to comment to others in the crowd that had gathered, that the train would be late. Later, at about 3:30 PM, Mrs. ESHOO, who became "suspicious" of the girl, because she was talking to the two men, followed her in and out of the train station. The girl asked an older man behind the counter in the station when the train would arrive and he advised her it would be another hour and forty minutes. Mrs. ESHOO followed the girl outside and the girl again spoke to the tall blond man, advising him in English of this fact. The short dark man then scuffed his right foot back and forth on the ground and said in English "Lets go" and the two men walked away to the north. She did not see them again although she later looked for them in the crowd that had gathered. She observed the girl talking to a small, dark girl thereafter. She cannot further describe this girl, but believes they were also talking in the language she did not recognize. The two men were at the station from about 2:45 PM to 3:30 PM.

Previously, at about 3:20 PM, she had heard the taller blond man say "Here it comes" when a freight train went through the station.

After the KENNEDY train arrived at about 4:50 PM or thereafter, Mrs. ESHOO and the MOOSHEYs returned to Mrs. ESHOO's home.

Mrs. MOOSHEY again stated that the short dark man looked awfully suspicious and Mr. MOOSHEY stated "OK honey, you are FBI".

When Mrs. ESHOO observed the television pictures of the shooting, she saw a full face picture of the arrested suspect. She immediately yelled to her children that this man had been at the Turlock railroad station.

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Photographs of FLORENCIO L. MATIONG, California A 37614; HAROLD OTTO MONTOYA, California A 52037, and ALFRED ARTHUR MONTOYA, California A 51909, were individually exhibited to her. She emphatically stated that none of these individuals were the person she saw. Xerox copy of California driver's license [REDACTED], issued to SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN in 1964 was exhibited to her with only the face of the driver shown. She immediately positively identified this person as the shorter of the two men she saw. She stated emphatically that there can be no question; that this is the photograph of the person observed by her. She stated she is confident he would recognize her also since they frequently were face to face, within five or six feet of each other during the period of time she was at the station.

Mrs. ESHOO, who speaks rapid but broken English, advised she entered the United States as an immigrant from Persia, now Iran, in the early 1930's and is a naturalized citizen.

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES
FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (62-76)
RE: KENSALT

Remytel to Bureau 6/6/68.

Enclosed herewith are nine copies of FD 302 showing
interview with Mrs. PENNA ESHOO at Turlock, California on
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Re: Claudius I RKE
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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
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NOTE: Hand print names legibly; handwriting satisfactory for remainder.

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases STEVE LNU			Address of subject			Character of case KENSALT			
Complainant ROBERT PARRAL			Complainant's address and telephone number 4741 Helmgate El Monte, Calif. 442-1208			Complaint received ☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date 6-13-68 Time 3/50pm			
Subject's Description	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace			
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion				
	Scars, marks or other data								
	Facts of complaint								
C. stated he works for a delivery service and while on his route he had stoped in at <u>WILLIAM WRIGHT & Sons</u>, 2838 S. Vail, Montebello, Calif. C. stated a person by the name of <u>SALLY LNU</u> had told him that the subject, who also works at same place, had told her he had been to a meeting where <u>SIRHAN SIRHAN</u> had also attended. C. stated STEVE is a Cuban National. This meeting had been prior to the shooting. SA FLOHR IDENTIFIED STEVE (LNU) AS ESTABAN FERNANDEZ 914 1/2 So Kenmore LA 1100 6/17 BY CHARLES CARTER 56-156-574 SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED JUN 12 1968 FBI - LOS ANGELES FLOHR MM 27 Rec'd 3:30pm 6/18/68									
Action Recommended			56-156 Larry E. Mullins (Agent)						

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : SA GEORGE M. KLING

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/12/68, LLOYD HAGER, Manager, San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, California, telephonically contacted this agent and advised that EVERETT BUCKNER was "shooting his mouth off all over the place." HAGER stated that he, HAGER, had gone to San Diego, California, on 6/11/68, and it was his understanding that several newspaper reporters and a "Life" magazine reporter had come to the range and talked with BUCKNER. HAGER stated that he did not know what BUCKNER had told them.

He further advised that in his office at the time that he was in telephonic contact with this agent, was two officers of the Los Angeles Police Department, who were going to talk with BUCKNER regarding this matter.

Sergeant CADINA, Intelligence Division, Los Angeles Police Department, also talked with this agent at that time, and he stated that he personally was going to read to BUCKNER a copy of the court order restricting any comment concerning the Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY assassination, be sure that BUCKNER understood its meaning, and if possible, get BUCKNER to sign a statement to the effect that he had read and understood its contents.

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Ad R. Richards [initials]
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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA ORLEY A. LEESON, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memo of SA ORLEY A. LEESON, JR., dated 6/10/68.

The following investigation was conducted by SAs WILLIAM C. RYAN, JR. and ORLEY A. LEESON, JR.

AT LAKEWOOD, CALIF.

On 6/11/68, Mrs. BEVERLY BRONS, 6003 Deerford St., Lakewood, advised she attended a luncheon and rally at the Lakewood Country Club for Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY on 5/28/68 which was sponsored by the Lakewood Democratic Club and the Lakewood Kiwanis Club.

She stated that she was seated at the table in the left rear corner of the main dining room with several other persons including: Mr. POLACHEK, owner of Brand Jewelers; Mr. BIRNBAUM, owner of Zale's Jewelers and Mr. and Mrs. DICK HORNER, owners of the Dutch Village Bowling Alley, all of Lakewood. About 1:25 PM, following the luncheon, Senator KENNEDY and his party entered the dining room and were followed by members of the press. She stated the Senator shook hands with the persons at her table and she shook his hand and kissed his neck. As the Senator proceeded to the front of the group, the press went up the left side of the room and an individual who resembles SIRHAN SIRHAN followed the press group in and sat on a serving table which was directly to the left of her table. She described this male as follows:

Race	white
Age	24
Height	5'7"-5'8"
Weight	135 to 155
Complexion	light olive
Hair	black, coarse, curly, long
Attire	dark suit, white shirt
Remarks	had long pointed nose; perspired profusely and seemed indecisive and uneasy; wore no identification pass and had nothing in his hands

She stated this male sat on the serving tray while Senator KENNEDY spoke and during the talk she saw a white female approach the male twice and speak to him and then return to the lobby outside the rear of the dining room. She described the girl

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Race	white
Age	19
Height	5'2"-5'3"
Weight	112-120 lbs.
Build	muscular
Remarks	wore no makeup except light lipstick; had semi-round face; full cheekbones; Slovak or German appearance; top of tip of nose square
Hair	medium to dark brown, shoulder length; parted in middle, gold band around head; tied with orange-pink ribbon near shoulder; natural sun streaks on top
Attire	full shift print dress with orange, pink and yellow muted background; yellowish-lime patent leather low heel shoes with matching bead handbag; carried grass green sweater over arm; dark brown pod necklace which hung to waist.

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Mrs. BRONS stated that when she left the Country Club she saw a 1956 faded dusty rose DeSoto parked near the entrance to the Club. She noticed the car because it was backed into the parking ~~xxx~~ space and because it resembles her son-in-law's car which is the same year except tan in color. She stated the car had an antenna on the front left fender which had a blue flag on it and the left front hub cap had a large smear of royal blue paint on it. She believes the car was a solid color trimmed in cream.

Mrs. BRONS was shown a photograph of SIRHAN's 1956 DeSoto and she stated this car was not identical to the car she saw.

Mrs. BRONS was shown a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN and stated the photograph resembled the man she saw at the rally although she could not be sure due to the nature of the photo and the fact the man she saw was wearing a suit and tie.

Mrs. BRONS stated she advised WREN FLYNN (ph), CBS News of the above and also furnished it to one of WREN's staff. She stated she did not trust any of the local authorities and proceeded to criticize the LAPD, LASO and the Lakewood PD. She stated she had contacted the FBI in the past to report a possible racial incident and gambling activities and had recently contacted the Long Beach RA regarding her views on gun control legislation.

Mrs. BRONS was extremely emotional during this interview and wept on several occasions. She felt she contributed to the Senator's death as she wrote him a letter last November requesting a picture of former President JOHN F. KENNEDY and expressing her desire that Senator KENNEDY seek the presidency of the US.

Mrs. BRUNS expressed extreme concern of the current condition's in the US. During interview Agents observed several photos of Senator KENNEDY in BRUN's living room as well as a KENNEDY poster on the front door of her residence.

On 6/11/68 the following persons were contacted regarding the above described individuals and all stated they did not observe any persons as described as being at the Country Club on 5/28/68:

~~SAUL Z. BARENBAUM~~
Zale Jewelers
5005 Hazelbrook
Lakewood, Calif.

~~ART POLACHEK~~
Brand Jewelers
5013 Hazelbrook
Lakewood, Calif.

~~PEGGY PERRY (bar girl)~~
~~Lakewood Country Club~~

~~MARY HESIK (waitress)~~
~~Lakewood Country Club~~

~~BETTY BARBER (waitress)~~
~~Lakewood Country Club~~

~~JOHN BOYER (Ass'T. Mgr)~~
~~Lakewood Country Club~~

On 6/12/68 the following persons were contacted with negative results:

~~THEODORE LOVE (Manager)~~
~~Lakewood Country Club~~

~~BERNARD KINNEY (bartender)~~
~~Lakewood Country Club~~

~~BETTY BARNES (waitress)~~
~~Lakewood Country Club~~

~~MARY HORNER~~
Dutch Village Bowling Alley
South St. and Woodruff Ave.
Lakewood, Calif.

~~L. CHARLES BARON (Lakewood Democratic Club)~~
~~4507 Palo Verde~~
Lakewood, Calif.

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On 6/12/68, L. CHARLES BARON, 4507 Palo Verde, Lakewood advised he and his wife, JACKIE BARON, are Lakewood Democratic Club workers and on 5/28/68 they arrived at the Lakewood Country Club about 10:30am to oversee preparations for the KENNEDY luncheon and rally. BARON advised his wife spent her time insuring the speaker's table and area were in order and he spent his time insuring all guests had tickets for the luncheon and checking persons seeking admittance to the dining area until after Senator KENNEDY arrived, when he accompanied KENNEDY and his party to the speakers table. He stated he took numerous photos of KENNEDY's arrival and his greeting numerous guests. BARON stated he has viewed his photos several times and he does not recall anyone fitting the above descriptions in the photos. BARON made the photos available for viewing by the Agents and examination of the photos failed to reflect any individuals meeting the above descriptions. BARON advised there were numerous young persons in attendance including his 17 year old daughter, [REDACTED], and her boyfriend. He stated his daughter was wearing a yellow dress with a large brown collar around the neck. He stated there were several Latin-American individuals in attendance including a Democratic Party worker FERNANDO HERNANDEZ who is a slightly built person with rather long dark curly hair as who was attired in a suit and white shirt and tie. BARON was shown a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN and stated he did not see SIRHAN at the luncheon or rally. He said that HERNANDEZ slightly resembles the photo of SIRHAN.

BARON voluntarily made available four slides depicting scenes at the 5/28/68 luncheon and various individuals in attendance. One of the slides depicted FERNANDO HERNANDEZ and others depicted various guests.

On 6/13/68, the above slides were displayed to Mrs. BRONS at her residence and she stated FERNANDO HERNANDEZ appeared to be identical with the individual she saw at the rally who she thought might have been SIRHAN SIRHAN. She stated she felt relieved that this person had been identified and that she felt HERNANDEZ was the person she saw.

In view of the above no further investigation is being conducted.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC L. A. (56-156)

DATE: 6-11-68

FROM : SA Leslie F. Warren

SUBJECT: Kensalt

Re Interview Dale Robinson

Ref. Memo SA Rg. Douce, 6-8-68 and memo SA A.O. Richards, 6-8-68 (serials 222 and 221)

Mrs. Lou Robinson aka, Mrs. Dale Robinson 10801 Winnetka, Chatsworth, Cal. # 360-4947, 6-11-68 by phone advised Dale Robinson, TV Actor, was enroute to Lake Tahoe and would not return till Friday 6-14-68. She did not know where was to stay there but he was to call her tonight and give her the address and phone.

Lou said Life Magazine Rep. call and talked to Dale last night re any knowledge of Sirhan and Dale informed the rep. he did not know Sirhan nor had he ever employed him as a horse handler or otherwise. Further having observed pictures of Sirhan on TV and in the press Dale did not acknowledge any recognition what so ever. Lou handled the books for Dale's horses and is sure Sirhan never worked for Dale and she had no recollection of Sirhan.

She will advise Dale tonight of the call from the FBI and if he comes up with any affirmative info she will have him contact FBI.

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TO : SAC, ALBANY

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM: *WJ* SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/13/68, Bureau authority granted to furnish all continental offices with a photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN to assist in covering leads.

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Authority given 6/13/68 by
Supervisor Henry Schatz of Bureau
to WJ Kelen - To be conveyed
by Bureau airtel.

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RONALD R. HUNTLEY was interviewed at 374 N.E. Edison, Hillsboro, Oregon, where he was visiting. He resides at 2902 E. Burnside, Portland, Oregon, and is employed as an interviewer at the Employment Center, Mead Building, Portland, Oregon. He stated that during the Primary campaign in Oregon, he was working as a volunteer worker for Senator ROBERT KENNEDY and on the evening of May 28, 1968, he was with Senator ROBERT KENNEDY at about 11:40 p.m. when Senator KENNEDY appeared at the ballroom of the Benson Hotel, Portland, Oregon, and made a statement to his supporters assembled there conceding the Primary election in the State of Oregon to Senator MC CARTHY. HUNTLEY preceded Senator KENNEDY from the platform which they stepped off from the left side and to the rear, going a short distance to a kitchen door with the intention that Senator KENNEDY go through the kitchen and come up to the elevator on the back side and avoid the crowd. As he stepped off the platform which was about two feet high, he saw two men standing in front of the kitchen door and as the party proceeded towards the door, the two men stepped back into the kitchen. He had the impression that one of them spoke to the other and assumed they were together. One man was heavy set and the other had a medium-slender build. As HUNTLEY came into the kitchen, he put his hands against the back of the heavy set man and pushed him against the wall so that Senator KENNEDY and the party could go on through. He assumes that the slender man stepped out of the way as he did not see him again. As he pushed the heavy set man against the wall, he felt something under his coat which could be a weapon or a thick, wide belt. He told the man to stand still while the party passed through. He then turned away from the heavy set man to offer aid to Representative EDITH GREENE who was also in the party, and to keep her from being pushed by the crowd.

Mr. HUNTLEY stated that he thought he should inform the FBI of this incident inasmuch as the news broadcast in the early morning of June 5, 1968, described the individual who shot Senator KENNEDY as being similar to the slender man that he had seen at the kitchen door in the Benson Hotel. He also was similar in appearance to a photograph

On 6/5/68 at Hillsboro, OregonFile # PD 62-38642by SA FREDERICK A. FLETCHER:tmeDate dictated 6/12/68

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shown on the television of the man who had allegedly fired the shots at Senator KENNEDY. He described the heavy set man as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Age	23 years
Height	5'4"
Build	Very heavy
Weight	190 pounds
Hair	Medium dark brown, parted on right side and fairly long, very neatly trimmed.
Face	Round, full
Appearance	Well and neatly dressed in a business suit.

He was wearing a ring with a maroon stone on his left hand.

The slender built man was described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	Possibly of Polynesian descent and appearance.
Age	25 to 28 years
Height	5'5" to 5'7"
Weight	150 pounds
Build	Medium-slender
Face	Narrow
Hair	Bushy, wiry, black hair, cut short and combed back.
Appearance	Wearing a tweed sport coat.

Mr. HUNTLEY stated that he is certain that he would recognize the heavy set man if he should see him again and that he may possibly be able to recognize the slender man but could not be certain.

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Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, PORTLAND (62-2864) (P)

SUBJECT: KENSAULT

Re Portland airtel to the Bureau and Los Angeles dated 6/5/68.

Enclosed are 9 copies of an FD-302 concerning interview of RONALD R. HUNTLEY, 6/5/68, at Hillsboro, Oregon.

2- Los Angeles (Enc. 9)
2- Portland

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Date June 13, 1968

Mrs. FRANCES HOLLAND, 552 Eldorado Drive, Escondido, California, advised as follows:

She is the Southern California Grand Counsellor of the Rosicrucian Order, also known as the Ancient Mystical Order Rosae Crucis (AMORC). She advised the state and international headquarters of AMORC have designated her to handle any inquiries concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN's membership in AMORC. She stated SIRHAN is a member of the Supreme Grand Lodge, San Jose, California, which is a corresponding membership and to her knowledge he did not attend meetings but received correspondence and instructions by mail from San Jose, California, and in turn submitted his lessons by mail to San Jose, California.

Mrs. HOLLAND advised the San Jose office maintains a complete file of correspondence with all members, which file contains the members original application form. She understands that FBI Agents at San Jose, California, were permitted to review SIRHAN's file and were given a duplicated copy of his application blank.

AMORC has local lodges and chapters to which some members belong, although membership in a local club is not required. Mrs. HOLLAND stated she has checked and determined that SIRHAN was not a member of the Pasadena Chapter or any other lodge or chapter. SIRHAN, however, did once and only once visit one of these subordinate bodies. He attended the weekly meeting of the Pasadena Chapter on the evening of June 4, 1968. Mrs. HOLLAND made available a page of the guest register of the Pasadena Chapter, which bears the signature SIRHAN SIRHAN, 696 East Howard, Pasadena and reflects that he is a member of AMORC, with membership number 8-413-477. On the date column of this form SIRHAN entered the date April 16, 1968. Mrs. HOLLAND stated that this is an error and SIRHAN probably used this date because the last previous registration was on that date. Mrs. HOLLAND confirmed by talking to the supervisor of the Pasadena Chapter, that SIRHAN visited that chapter on the evening of June 4, 1968.

On 6/12/68 at Escondido, California File # SD 44-394

by SAS ROBERT E. THORNTON & ARNOLD. W. O'BRIEN

AWO:kdw Date dictated

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This supervisor is SHERMAN LIVINGSTON, 2555 Vista Laguna Terrace, Pasadena, California, telephone number 794-6141.

LIVINGSTON told Mrs. HOLLAND he recalls SIRHAN telling people at the meeting how to pronounce his name. LIVINGSTON looked for SIRHAN after the meeting but he was unable to find him.

In signing in, SIRHAN showed he was a first degree member. Mrs. HOLLAND stated that this is a beginner's degree which would indicate membership of less than one year.

AMORC has no full time hall in Pasadena. The chapter meets every Tuesday night. Master of the chapter is THEODORE R. STEVENS, 886 Pullman Street, Los Angeles, California, telephone number 257-9368.

Mrs. HOLLAND stated she would call Mr. LIVINGSTON and Mr. STEVENS on the evening of June 12, 1968, to instruct them to cooperate in answering inquiries from the FBI. She stated the wives of both of these individuals are upset with the bad publicity given AMORC in the press and LIVINGSTON and STEVENS should be contacted by telephone to arrange an appointment.

Mrs. HOLLAND subsequently telephonically contacted the FBI Office, San Diego, California, on June 12, 1968, and advised as follows:

She was in telephonic contact with Mr. LIVINGSTON and discussed the matter of being interviewed by the FBI at Los Angeles. She stated that Mr. LIVINGSTON reviewed his notes and indicated that he had attended the Pasadena meeting on May 28, 1968, rather than June 4, 1968. Therefore, Mrs. HOLLAND assumes the appearance of SIRHAN SIRHAN at the Pasadena meeting was on May 28, 1968, rather than as previously reported on June 4, 1968.

According to Mrs. HOLLAND, the date of appearance of SIRHAN SIRHAN can be verified by contacting Mr. STEVENS, the Master of the Pasadena Chapter.

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Mrs. HOLLAND further advised that she has instructed Mr. STEVENS to make available to the FBI the completed membership list of persons present on the night SIRHAN SIRHAN attended the Pasadena Chapter meeting and also to furnish information regarding the topics discussed on the night of that meeting.

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, SAN DIEGO (44-394)

SUBJECT: KENSAIT
OO: Los Angeles

Enclosed for the Los Angeles Division are nine
copies of an FD-302 reflecting interview with Mrs. FRANCES
HOLLAND, 552 Eldorado Drive, Escondido, California, on
June 12, 1968.

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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Houston, Texas
June 6, 1968

Unknown Subject; also known as
John
Threat Against 1968 Presidential
Candidate, Information Concerning
United States Senators Robert
Kennedy and Eugene Mc Carthy

On June 5, 1968, Joseph Willard "Pappy" Luke, age 61, owner of Pappy's Stew house, General Delivery, Highway 90, Raywood, Texas, telephone 587-9059, advised around 11:00 AM on Thursday, one and one half weeks ago (date of May 23, 1968) a lone male came into Luke's restaurant and had a Coke and bowl of stew. The man, believed to be named John (Last Name Unknown) stated he was a salesman for the Broker Food Company and traveled all over the United States. The man stated he had just left Houston, Texas and was traveling to New Orleans, Louisiana. Luke told the man about Luke's copyrighted Mulligan Stew and offered the man \$1,000 to promote the stew. The man declined and stated he was going to California. The man then made the following statement: "My life isn't worth two cents. I am going to the campaign meeting in California and straighten that s---- out there I am going to turn California upside down. I am going to get one of those Senators. I am going to kill them sons-of-b-----." Luke inquired why. The man replied, "Because they are killing the Communists. I want to make it good for the Communists".

The man was not carrying any papers or other articles. He never displayed any identification. Nothing was observed in the man's car. Luke tried to get the man to take his coat off as the restaurant was quite hot but the man refused. The man paid for his food with a roll of bills approximately three inches in diameter. The man spun his wheels and drove east on Highway 90 at a very high rate of speed.

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Re: Unknown Subject; also known as John

Luke advised that there were no other witnesses to this incident.

The man was described as follows:

Name	John (Last Name Unknown)
Race	Caucasian
Age	25-28 years
Height	5'4" - 6"
Weight	125-135 pounds
Hair	Black, long, straight, combed back
Eyes	Dark
Complexion	Dark (looks French or Syrian)
Scars	Numerous short, vertical scars on both cheeks and right forehead (looked like fingernail scratches)
Features	Slim face, pointed chin, a large number of vertical wrinkles around mouth; no facial hair, tattoos, marks, or glasses; soft spoken (note Luke is hard of hearing)
Jewelry	Gold watch on wrist
Vehicle	1967-1968 tan Ford sedan, large body style, number of doors unknown, 1968 Texas license plates, white sidewall tires, Texas inspection sticker on left corner of window, commercial radio antenna, had red and yellow lights on sides of fenders, no spot light, looked brand new.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, HOUSTON (175-New) (P)

SUBJECT: ~~UNSUB~~ aka John ~~W0175~~
THREAT AGAINST 1968
PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE,
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(CRIMINAL SECTION)
SENATORS ROBERT KENNEDY AND
EUGENE MC CARTHY
(OO: Houston)

ReHotel to Bu, 6/5/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 12 copies of an LHM
containing an interview of JOSEPH WILLARD LUKE.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are two copies of LHM.

An information copy is being furnished the New
Orleans Division as the unknown subject stated he was going
to New Orleans, Louisiana.

JOHN KILJAN, Secret Service, Houston, Texas was
originally contacted by JOSEPH WILLARD LUKE. KILJAN contacted
the Houston Division at 8:45 AM on 6/5/68. Deputy Sheriff
WILL AUTREY, Liberty County Sheriff's Office, Liberty, Texas,
was advised verbally on 6/5/68. A copy of this LHM will be
supplied to the Liberty County Sheriff's Office for their
file.

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2 - Los Angeles (Enc-2)
1 - New Orleans (Enc-1) (Info)
2 - Houston
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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

Will forward the Houston Division a photo of suspect being held for the assault on Senator ROBERT KENNEDY.

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CITY OF LONG BEACH



WM. J. MOONEY
CHIEF OF POLICE

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE

Ref. 4.1 C



Long Beach 2, California

OCTOBER 13, 1966

CR 716984

~~PHILIP LEE CLEVENGER~~
~~Box 1754~~
~~LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA~~

A complaint has been made to this department to the effect that on JULY 23, 1966
_____ you gave a check to SEARS ROEBUCK & Co., 450 LONG BEACH BLVD., L.B.
in the amount of \$ 17.66 drawn on the SECURITY FIRST NATIONAL BANK, LONG BEACH, CALIF.
The bank has returned the check with the notation "ACCOUNT CLOSED".

The check is now on file in the Forgery Detail of this Department and you are being
given this opportunity to correct the situation before further investigation becomes necessary.

I trust you will give this matter your prompt attention.

Wm. J. MOONEY
Chief of Police

By _____
Forgery Detail

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ADDITIONAL CHECK- JULY 23, 1966 SEARS ROEBUCK & Co. \$10.00

716984

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION AND INVESTIGATION
P. O. Box 1859, Sacramento, California

FRAUDULENT DOCUMENT REPORT

Specific Offense CHECKS - NSF	Reporting Department Long Beach Police Department	Case Number 764384										
☒ NSF	☐ RTM	☐ Sig. Irreg.	☐ Acc. Closed	☐ UTL	☐ Forged	☐ Stolen	☐ Fict. Print	☐ Raised	☒ Personal	☐ Payroll	☐ Money Ord.	☐ Cred. Card
Warrant Yes ☐ No ☒	APB Yes ☐ No ☒	Ident. ☐ Unident. ☒	Fict. Name ☐ True Name ☐	CII: Place Stop ☒ No Action ☐	CII: Forward Record ☐ Photo ☐	ACTIVE ☒	CLEARED ☐	ARREST ☐	UNFOUNDED ☐	INACTIVE ☐	CIVIL ☐	
CAN V IDENTIFY S? YES ☐ NO ☒	WILL V SIGN COMPL? YES ☒ NO ☐	WAS CHECK POST DATED? YES ☐ NO ☒	WAS CHECK PREDATED? YES ☐ NO ☒	AGREEMENT TO HOLD? YES ☐ NO ☒	ANY PAYMENT REC'D? YES ☐ NO ☒							
Date and time occurred August 27, 1967		Location of occurrence 4480 Atlantic Blvd., Long Beach		Division Beach	Date and time reported to PD or SO September 28, 1967							
Victim's name (firm name if business) VON'S GROCERY COMPANY		Residence address (business address if firm) Same		Residence phone 860 1146	Business phone or address 423 1688							
Person reporting offense B. Hart		Residence address 13541 Caravel, Cerritos		Residence phone 860 1146	Business phone or address "							
Person who accepted document Sally Hespel		Residence address 4502 Easterbrook, Lakewood		Residence phone HA 99528	Business phone or address "							
Vehicle used by suspect—describe in as much detail as possible None seen				Amount of loss \$25.00	Amount of cash suspect received \$25.00							
WITNESS(ES): Name Sally Hespel (OK'd)		Residence address		Residence phone	Business phone or address							
Victim's occupation race sex age Market		Type of premises One story building		Type of property obtained Merchandise								
Trademarks of suspects (acts, conversation, etc.)				Identification used to pass check None indicated								
Was document or endorsement written in his presence? YES ☒ NO ☐		Specify what parts, if any (face, etc.) ?		Signature of endorser Victim's								
PEN WRITTEN ☒		(Business or personalized. Name and address) Aug. 27, 1967 Date: Aug. 27, 1967 Pay to the order of Von's Mkts \$ 25.00 (Name of Payee) Twenty five and -----00/100 DOLLARS (Written amount) Security First National Bank, Bixby Knolls P. L. Clevenger (Name of Bank) (City and branch) (Name of Maker)										
BALL PEN ☐												
PENCIL ☐												
TYPEWRITTEN ☐												
HAND PRINTED ☐												
PROCTOGRAPHED ☐												
RUBBER STAMP ☐												
Suspect(s) No. 1 CLEVENGER, P. L. No. 2 NO LRPD DR												
Name Address used Hair Eyes Hgt. Wgt. Age Identification Number(s) Identikit Code No.												
Accompanied by: Names, description, relationship, etc., of anyone with suspect(s)												

DETAILS: Describe evidence; summarize details not given above; itemize and describe any property obtained, including serial numbers and value.

Bank advised this single name account was opened in August 1967 with deposit of \$450.00 and closed by the bank on 10-3-67. Subject used California D/L [REDACTED] for identification at time of opening the account. Balance on 8-25-67 was \$20.93 and on 8-27-67 it was still \$20.93. No deposits made to the account after 8-25-67. Previous checks reported listing the same suspect have not been cleared as yet, but are too old for prosecution. Additional check will be subject of a separate report.

Even Boardman

How many similar checks not reported to CII? Forgery Detail/lj	Signature of reporting officer Forgery Detail/lj	Badge or Serial #	Signature of Supervisor approving	Badge or Serial #	Date and time 10-31-67 3:25PM
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION AND INVESTIGATION
P. O. Box 1859, Sacramento, California

FRAUDULENT DOCUMENT REPORT

Long Beach Police Department

Specific Offense CHECKS - NSF		Reporting Department										Case Number 766936	
NSF ☒	RTM ☐	Sig. Irreg. ☐	Acc. Closed ☐	UTL ☐	Forged ☐	Stolen ☐	Fict. Print ☐	Raised ☐	Personal ☒	Payroll ☐	Money Ord. ☐	Cred. Card ☐	
Warrant Yes ☒ No ☐	APB Yes ☒ No ☐	Ident. ☐ Unident. ☐	Fict. Name ☐ True Name ☐	CII: Place Stop ☐ No Action ☐	CII: Forward Record ☐ Photo ☐	ACTIVE ☒	CLEARED ☐	ARREST ☐	UNFOUNDED ☐	INACTIVE ☐	CIVIL ☐		
CAN V IDENTIFY S? YES ☐ NO ☐		WILL V SIGN COMPL? YES ☒ NO ☐		WAS CHECK POST DATED? YES ☐ NO ☒		WAS CHECK PREDATED? YES ☐ NO ☒		AGREEMENT TO HOLD? YES ☐ NO ☒		ANY PAYMENT REC'D? YES ☐ NO ☒			

Date and time occurred August 25, 1967	Location of occurrence 4480 Atlantic Blvd., Long Beach	Division	Date and time reported to PD or SO September 28, 1967
Victim's name (firm name if business) VON'S GROCERY COMPANY #19	Residence address (business address if firm) Same	Residence phone 423 1688	Business phone or address
Person reporting offense B. Hart	Residence address 13541 Caravel, Cerritos	Residence phone 860 1146	Business phone or address
Person who accepted document Paul Cluckey	Residence address 11851 Turquoise, Garden Grove	Residence phone	Business phone or address 897 9111
Vehicle used by suspect—describe in as much detail as possible None seen		Amount of loss \$25.00	Amount of cash suspect received \$25.00
WITNESS(ES): Name Paul Cluckey (OK'd)		Residence address	Business phone or address
Victim's occupation race sex age Market		Type of premises One story building	Type of property obtained Cash
Trademarks of suspects (acts, conversation, etc.)		Identification used to pass check None indicated	
Was document or endorsement written in his presence? YES ☐ NO ☐		Specify what parts, if any (face, etc.) ?	
		Signature of endorser Victim's	

PEN WRITTEN ☐	☒	CONNECTED WITH CR 764 384	
BALL PEN ☐			
PENCIL ☐			
TYPEWRITTEN ☐			
HAND PRINTED ☐			
PROCTOGRAPHED ☐			
RUBBER STAMP ☐			
		(Business or personalized. Name and address)	
		Date: Aug. 25, 1967	
		Pay to the order of Von's Market \$25.00 (Name of Payee)	
		Twenty five and -----00/00 DOLLARS (Written amount)	
		Security First National Bank, Bixby Knolls Branch P. L. Clevenger (Name of Bank) (City and branch) (Name of Maker)	

Suspect(s)		NO LRPD DR						
No. 1	CLEVINGER, P. L.							
No. 2								
Name	Address used	Hair	Eyes	Hgt.	Wgt.	Age	Identification Number(s)	Identi-Kit Code No.
Accompanied by: Names, description, relationship, etc., of anyone with suspect(s)								

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For further details, see CR 764 384

Even Boardman

How many similar checks not reported to CII?		Dates		Total amount of checks	
Signature of reporting officer Forgery Detail/lj		Badge or Serial #		Signature of Supervisor approving 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176	
				Date and time 11-20-67 3:10PM	

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POLICE DEPARTMENT CITY OF LONG BEACH

BATTERY Sec. 242 CPC

REPORT

Case No.

751313

Classification of Crime

Print Names — Last Name First — Spell out when dictating

VICTIM'S NAME (first name if business)	RESIDENCE ADDRESS	RESIDENCE PHONE
CLEVENGER, Phillip L.	3810 Long Beach Blvd. #12, L.B.	Unknown
For self	BUSINESS ADDRESS	BUSINESS PHONE
	3636 Atlantic, #12, L.B.	426-5414 or 426-7498
HOURS WORKED	DATE COMMITTED: DAY OR WEEK	TIME COMMITTED
Varied	July 6, 1967 - Thursday	11:30 PM
WHERE COMMITTED	NAME OF PREMISES	
Area of Butler and Artesia	Public street	
PERSON REPORTING OFFENSE	RESIDENCE ADDRESS	RESIDENCE PHONE
Victim	Same	
REPORTED TO	INVESTIGATING OFFICERS	DATE AND TIME REPORTED
Service Desk	L. Stoops and TC Booth	July 7, 1967 12:05 AM
NO. 1 SUSP.	NAME	HAIR
1	MILLER, Jack Lyn	blond
		EYES
		HGT.
		WGT.
		AGE
		RACE
		BKNG. NO. (IF ANY)

CLOTHING
Yellow shirt, dark pants

NO. 2 SUSP.	NAME	HAIR	EYES	HGT.	WGT.	AGE	RACE	BKNG. NO. (IF ANY)

CLOTHING

VICTIM'S OCCUPATION	RACE	SEX	AGE	TYPE OF PREMISES OR LOCATION WHERE OFFENSE WAS COMMITTED
Distributor	W	M	28	Public street
POINT WHERE ENTRANCE WAS MADE:	CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY		CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON	
			METHOD USED:	
			Striking face	
INSTRUMENT USED (DESCRIBE)			WEAPON - FORCE OR MEANS USED:	
			Hands and bodily force	
TYPE OF PROPERTY TAKEN OR OBTAINED			APPARENT MOTIVE - TYPE OF PROPERTY TAKEN OR OBTAINED	
			Unknown	

TRADEMARK OF SUSPECT(S) - ACTIONS OR CONVERSATION
Suspect without cause strikes victim several times and gets out of victim's vehicle.

VEHICLE USED BY SUSPECT(S) - YEAR, MAKE, BODY TYPE, COLOR, LICENSE NUMBER AND ANY OTHER IDENTIFYING MARKS
None

DETAILS: DESCRIBE EVIDENCE: SUMMARIZE DETAILS NOT GIVEN ABOVE; ITEMIZE AND DESCRIBE ANY PROPERTY OBTAINED, INCLUDING SERIAL NUMBERS AND VALUE - USE ADDITIONAL SHEET IF NECESSARY

Investigating officers dispatched to Artesia and L.B. Blvd to north east corner in regards to a battery and ;upon arrival, contacted victim who stated to officers that a Jack Miller struck him. Victim further stated that he had picked up named suspect in front of a residence four houses east of Butler, north side of Heath Lane at approximately 11:20 PM, 7/6/67. Victim stated that suspect wanted him to drive to a girl friend's house and when they reached the area of Butler and Artesia, suspect struck the victim several times in the area of the nose and right side of mouth and broke victim's glasses.

Victim further stated that suspect is staying at the residence on Heath Lane but does not know the address. Victim stated that a 1960 Ford station wagon, grey in color, always parked in front of this residence.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, SEE WHITE MEMO TO CAPT. OF DETECTIVES

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Ewen Boardman

VALUE OF PROPERTY	DICTATED BY	DATE AND TIME DICTATED
	L. Stoops	July 7, 1967 1:30 AM
SUPERVISOR APPROVING	TYPED BY	DATE AND TIME TYPED

CITY OF LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO BE ADDED TO REPORT MADE AND
FILED COVERING CASE MENTIONED ON FILING MARGIN

Victim CLEVINGER, Phillip L. Date July 31, 1967
Accused MILLER, Jack Lyn (NOT WANTED) No. CR 751 313

RE: BATTERY - Butler and Artesia - July 6, 1967

The victim is apparently not telling the officers the true story in this report. The original investigating officers Stoops and Booth state in the memorandum that the victim was hesitant in relating the full relationship with the suspect and the real reason for being out with the suspect on this evening.

It is felt by the officers that this was possibly a homosexual relationship, and due to the above circumstances, no prosecution can be possible. No further action will be taken.

ATTENTION RECORDS

LISTED SUSPECT IS NOT WANTED

MILLER, Jack Lyn - male white - 19 years - 5'9" - 160 Lbs. - blond hair

Gwen Boardman

CASE CLEARED

Report by HOMICIDE DETAIL
G. E. MC INTIRE - barbra
July 31, 1967

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POLICE DEPARTMENT, LONG BEACH, CALIF.

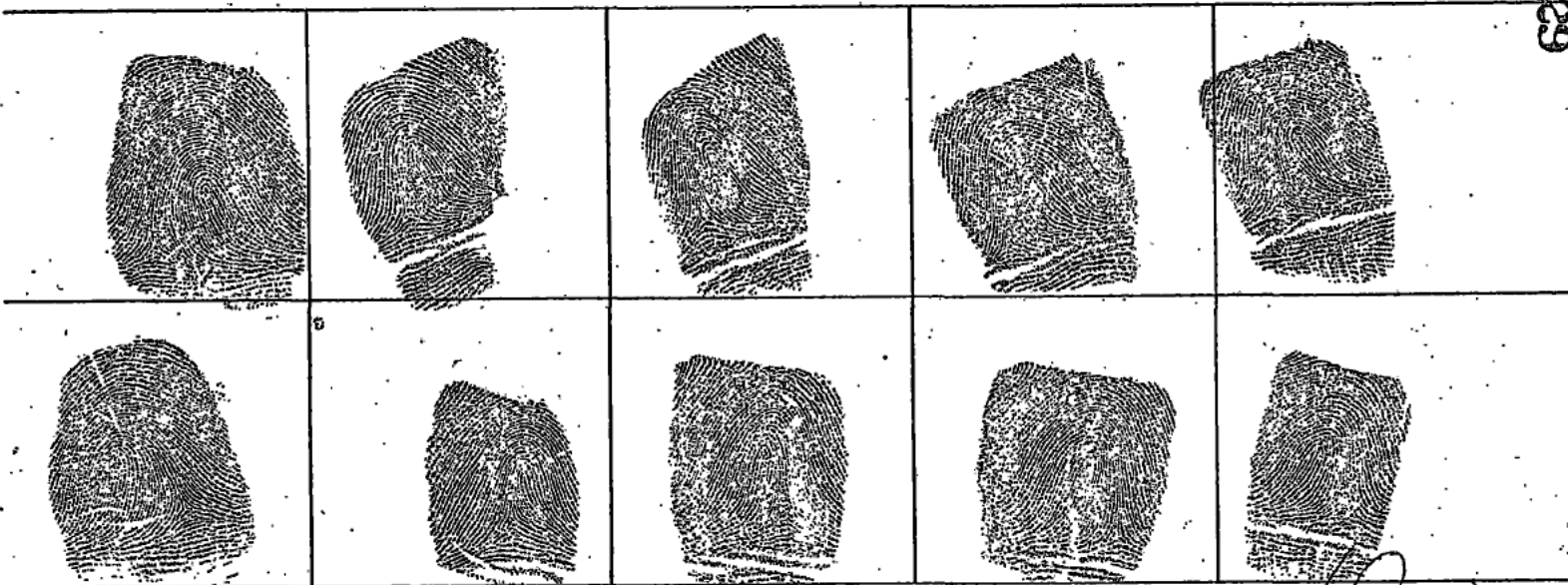
IDENTIFICATION SHEET

Name of Prisoner HULEN, RONNIE, Edman.
 Alias NO
 Offense INTOX - DIST the Peace
 Prisoner's Address 1740 Freeman Ave. Apt #1 Long Beach, Calif.
 Name of Nearest Kin Linda E. Hulen
 Address 127 1/2 McLean St. Ottumwa Iowa
 Arresting Officers ANKRON - BAAK Department and Division Uniform #36
 Previous Arrest, Where NO Date ✓ Charge ✓
 Place of Birth IOWA Time in U.S.A. LIFE State IOWA County 92nd
 Citizenship U.S.A. Nationality ENG - GERMAN Birth Date 2-10-47
 Hair BEN-3 Eyes Blue Complexion Med Fair Height 5'8" Weight 154
 Age 20 Trade Waiter Place of Employment Executive Suite Pch @ Redondo
 Build Med Sex Male Nose ✓ Chin ✓ Beard ✓
 Teeth Good Married ✓ Single ✓ Divorced ✓ Spouse Dead ✓
 Marks; Scars, Amputations, Tattoos none

(Is the above form filled out in full?)

Impressions Taken by: OR
 Classified by:
 Searched by:

Time Taken:
 Class:



PD 35

Signature

Ronnie E. Hulen
(Write Name in Full)

POLICE DEPARTMENT

CITY OF LONG BEACH

M 82320

REPORT OF ARREST

Defendant	HUIJEN, RONALD EDMAN		Date of Arrest	Jan. 10, 1968		Time	7:20 PM		
Address	1740 Freeman #1, Long Beach								
Hair	Brown	Eyes	Blue	Height	5'8	Weight	160	DOB	2-10-47
Description of Clothing	Beige T-Shirt, dark blue Levi's								
Occupation	Waiter		Place of Employment	Executive Suite, ICH					
Offense	Dist. the Peace		Where Arrested	1740 Freeman		Date of Offense	Jan. 10, 1968		
Where Arrested	1740 Freeman		Where Committed	Same					
Victim	1731 4013 RETAINED								
Witness	Address _____ Ph. _____								
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Witness	Address _____ Ph. _____								

REPORT OF FACTS OBTAINED

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PROPERTY SLIP ATTACHED:	BOOKING SET:	RJ CLARK	RAIL:	3125.
Make of Car	Year	Model	Color	License
Disposition of Car				
Arr. Officers	JW Anderson & SA Fash		Trans. Officers	Bare
Division Originating	District - District #3		Filed by	Anderson
P. D. 160	2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176: JW Anderson 1-10-68 8:30 PM			

POLICE DEPARTMENT

CITY OF LONG BEACH

REPORT OF ARREST

Booking No. 536-186

Case Rep. No.

Op. Lic. No.

Soc. Sec. No.

Defendant HULEN, RONALD EDMAN

Date of Arrest Jan. 10, 1968

Time 7:20 PM

Address 1740 Freeman #1, Long Beach

Hair Brown Eyes Blue Height 5'8 Weight 160 DOB 2-10-47 Age 20 Sex MW

Description of Clothing Beige T-Shirt, dark blue Levis

Occupation Waiter (List color, type and outstanding details) Place of Employment Redondo & Executive Suite, PCH

Offense Dist. the Peace & Intox 415 & 647F PC Date of Offense Jan. 10, 1968

Where Arrested 1740 Freeman Where Committed Same

Victim Address Ph

Witness Address Ph

Witness Address Ph

Witness Address Ph

(List additional witnesses below)

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PROPERTY SLIP ATTACHED: BOOKING SGT: RJ CLARK BAIL: \$125.

Make of Car Year Model Color License

Disposition of Car

Att. Officers KW Ankrom & FA Baak Trans. Officers Same

Division Originating Patrol - Watch #3 Filed by KW Ankrom

P. D. 160 Typed by: KW Ankrom 1-10-68 8:30 PM

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION AND INVESTIGATION
P. O. BOX 1859, SACRAMENTO

FBI# 811 830 F

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RONNIE EDMOND HULEN

ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	DEPARTMENT AND NUMBER	NAME	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
FBI ALIAS: RONALD EDMAN HULEN; RONNIE EDMAN HULEN; *5-26-66	PD FLAGSTAFF, ARIZ. 61025	RONNIE EDMAN HULEN	13-991 VAG.	
10-9-66	PD SAN FRANCISCO 212385	RONNIE EDMOND HULEN	(1) SUSP. SEC. 11501 H&S CODE (TRNSP. NARCS.) (2) SEC. 11556 H&S CODE (VISITING PREMISES WHERE NARCS. ARE BEING USED OR SMOKED) (3) SEC. 4143A B&P CODE (UNLAWFUL POSS. HYPO NEEDLE OR SYRINGE) (4) SUSP. SEC. 182 PC (CONSPIRACY)	10-12-66, CT. 1, DISCH., INSUFF. EVID., 10-11-66, CT. 2, DISM. MO. DA 10-11-66, CT. 3, DISM. MO. DA 10-12-66, CT. 4, DISCH., INSUFF. EVID.
10-19-66	PD SAN FRANCISCO 212385	RONNIE E. HULEN	(1) SEC. 4143A B&P (UNLAWFUL POSS. OF HYPO NEEDLE OR SYRINGE) (2) SEC. 650 1/2 PC (INJURING PERSON OR PROPERTY OF ANOTHER) (3) SEC. 1291B MPC (LOIT. WHILE CC DEADLY W)	10-19-66, CT. 1, 30 DS., SENT. SUSP CT. 2, NOT GUILTY CT. 3, 30 DS. CJ; CI

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SHEET

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ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	DEPARTMENT AND NUMBER	NAME	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
1-10-68	PD LONG BEACH 193939/DR-237529	RONALD EDMAN HULEN	DP & INTOX.	\$65. FN. OR 10 DS. CO. JL. REJECTED

ENTRIES INDICATED BY ASTERISK (*) ARE NOT VERIFIED BY FINGERPRINTS IN CII FILES.

2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE 1-18-68 545 JMM
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20537

J. Edgar Hoover
Director.

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CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
PD Flagstaff Ariz	Ronnie Edman Hulen #61025	5-26-66	13-991 vag	
PD San Fran Calif	Ronnie Edmond Hulen #212385	10-9-66	L-56425 susp Sec 11501 H&S Code (trnsnp narcs) L-56426 Sec. 11556 H&S Code (visiting premises where narcs are being smoked or used) L-56427 Sec 11501 4143a B&P Code (unlawful poss hypo needle or syringe) L-56428 susp Sec 182 PC (conspiracy)	disch insuff evid dism mo DA dism mo DA disch insuff e evid
PD San Fran Calif	Ronnie E. Hulen #212385	10-19-66	Sec 1291b MPC (loitering while carrying, con- cealed deadly weapon) Sec 4143a B&P (unlawful poss of hypo needle or syringe) Sec 650 1/2 PC (in- juring person or property of another)	30 das CI 30 das SS not guilty
PD Long Beach Calif	Ronald Edman Hulen #237529	1-10-68	dist the peace intox	\$65/10 das Co rejected

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Information shown on this Identification Record represents data furnished FBI by fingerprint contributors. Where final disposition is not shown or further explanation of charge is desired, communicate with agency contributing those fingerprints.

Notations indicated by * are NOT based on fingerprints in FBI files but are listed only as investigative leads as being possibly identical with subject of this record.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT

CITY OF LONG BEACH

~~BURGLARY (RES)~~ *Petty Theft* REPORT

Case No.

772635

Classification of Crime

Print Names — Last Name First — Spell out when dictating

VICTIM'S NAME (first name if business) HULEN, Ronnie Edman	RESIDENCE ADDRESS 1740 Freeman Ave. # 1, LB	RESIDENCE PHONE none
	BUSINESS ADDRESS 3400 East PCH, LB	BUSINESS PHONE ---
HOURS WORKED varies	DATE COMMITTED: DAY OR WEEK 1-5-68 Fri	TIME COMMITTED unknown

WHERE COMMITTED 1740 Freeman Ave. # 1	NAME OF PREMISES private res
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PERSON REPORTING OFFENSE victim	RESIDENCE ADDRESS same	RESIDENCE PHONE	DATE AND TIME REPORTED 1-7-68 6:55pm
REPORTED TO Service Desk	INVESTIGATING OFFICERS J. P. Smith - J. E. Harris	DIV. FILED BY Watch 3	

NO. 1 SUSP.	NAME	HAIR	EYES	HGT.	WGT.	AGE	RACE	BNKG. NO. (IF ANY)
	CLEVENEGHER, Phil	black	dark	5-6-7	145	29	MMW	

CLOTHING works at 3636 Atlantic, LB - Holiday Magic
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NO. 2 SUSP.	NAME	HAIR	EYES	HGT.	WGT.	AGE	RACE	BNKG. NO. (IF ANY)
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CLOTHING

VICTIM'S OCCUPATION	RACE	SEX	AGE	TYPE OF PREMISES OR LOCATION WHERE OFFENSE WAS COMMITTED
Waiter	W	M	20	2-story apt bldg

POINT WHERE ENTRANCE WAS MADE:	METHOD USED:	CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON
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front door		
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INSTRUMENT USED (DESCRIBE)	WEAPON - FORCE OR MEANS USED:
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key	
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TYPE OF PROPERTY TAKEN OR OBTAINED	APPARENT MOTIVE - TYPE OF PROPERTY TAKEN OR OBTAINED
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movie projector	
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TRADEMARK OF SUSPECT (S) - ACTIONS OR CONVERSATION
Enters with key, takes item, flees

VEHICLE USED BY SUSPECT (S) - YEAR, MAKE, BODY TYPE, COLOR, LICENSE NUMBER AND ANY OTHER IDENTIFYING MARKS
none seen or heard

DETAILS: DESCRIBE EVIDENCE; SUMMARIZE DETAILS NOT GIVEN ABOVE; ITEMIZE AND DESCRIBE ANY PROPERTY OBTAINED, INCLUDING SERIAL NUMBERS AND VALUE - USE ADDITIONAL SHEET IF NECESSARY

Officers were dispatched and contacted victim, who stated that a friend of his had a key to the apt. and had taken victim's movie projector, without his permission, on 1-5-68. Victim also stated he did not know it was missing until 1-7-68 and further discovered that the above suspect took it. Victim went to the suspect and asked for his movie projector. Suspect admitted taking it and told victim that he had loaned it to a friend and could not return it. Victim then went home and called the police.

Officers' inv. found nothing further missing than was stated by the victim.

LOSS: one movie projector, 8 mm, Bell and Howell, black and brown, value \$79.

GWEN BOARDMAN

VALUE OF PROPERTY \$79.	DICTATED BY J. E. Harris ES 32 10:23pm	DATE AND TIME DICTATED 1-7-68
SUPERVISOR APPROVING 7/1	TYPED BY D. King 10:35pm	DATE AND TIME TYPED 1-7-68

January 24, 1968

Ref. 4.1 T
CR 772 635

Mr. Ronnie E. Hulien
1740 Freeman Avenue, Apt. 1
Long Beach, California 90804

Dear Sir:

Several attempts have been made to contact you in regard to the Theft Report you filed with this Department pertaining to the loss of an 8mm movie projector, as we have knowledge of the whereabouts of your projector.

We can find no such address as the one you listed as your place of employment and since we have been unable to contact you at your residence, no further action can be taken on your report until you contact us.

Please contact Detective Parrish, Theft Detail, in Room 340, Public Safety Building, 400 W. Broadway, telephone HENlock 6-9811, Extension 375, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Yours very truly,

Wm. J. MOONEY
Chief of Police

MSF:bb

DISPOSITION FORM

Victim *HULEN, RONNIE EDMAN*
 Accused *CLEVENGER, Philip*

Date *FEB. 2, 1968*
 No. *772635*

RE: PETTY THEFT ☒
 BURGLARY (FROM CAR) ☐
 GRAND THEFT ☐
 PETTY THEFT (SHOPLIFTING) ☐

- ☐ - Insufficient evidence to connect listed suspect(s).
- ☐ - Insufficient evidence for a Complaint.
- ☐ - Victim does not wish to prosecute.
- ☐ - License number not in file with MVS.
- ☐ - License number in error.
- ☒ - Victim not available for prosecution.
- ☐ - Victim furnished copy of Crime Report to present to City Prosecutor for complaint. Insufficient evidence.
- ☐ - Property taken by mistake - UNFOUNDED REPORT.
- ☐ - Civil Case.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: A check of PAWN TICKETS showed that the Suspt pawned the loss on 1-3-68, Suspt claimed the loss approx 1 week later. Officer checked the Suspt's address 407 Rhea Suspt moved, Officer checked his business address and the business is out of business. Officer went to victim's home and found that he had moved leaving no forwarding address. A letter was sent and officer received no response.

ATTENTION RECORD BUREAU:

Exonerate listed suspect(s): *CLEVENGER, Philip*

PD-211

Report by *M.W. PARRISH II*

CASE Cleared
No Property Recovered

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
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BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION AND INVESTIGATION
P. O. Box 1859, Sacramento, California

FRAUDULENT DOCUMENT REPORT

Specific Offense CHECKS - A/C		Long Beach Police Department										Case Number 717988	
Reporting Department													
NSF ☐	RTM ☐	Sig. Irreg. ☐	Acc. Closed ☐	UTL ☐	Forged ☐	Stolen ☐	Fict. Print ☐	Raised ☐	Personal ☐	Payroll ☐	Money Ord. ☐	Cred. Card ☐	
Warrant Yes ☐ No ☐	APB Yes ☐ No ☐	Ident. Yes ☐ Unident. ☐	Fict. Name ☐ True Name ☐	CII: Place Stop ☐ No Action ☐	CII: Forward Record ☐ Photo ☐	ACTIVE ☐	CLEARED ☐	ARREST ☐	UNFOUNDED ☐	INACTIVE ☐	CIVIL ☐		
CAN V IDENTIFY S? YES ☐ NO ☐		WILL V SIGN COMPL? YES ☐ NO ☐		WAS CHECK POST DATED? YES ☐ NO ☐		WAS CHECK PREDATED? YES ☐ NO ☐		AGREEMENT TO HOLD? YES ☐ NO ☐		ANY PAYMENT REC'D? YES ☐ NO ☐			

Date and time occurred July 23, 1966	Location of occurrence 450 Long Beach Blvd., Long Beach	Division Beach	Date and time reported to PD or SO September 1, 1966
Victim's name (firm name if business) SEARS ROEBUCK & COMPANY	Residence address (business address if firm) Same	Residence phone HE 501 21	Business phone or address HE 501 21
Person reporting offense Emmett Ryan	Residence address 2906 Petaluma, Long Beach	Residence phone 429 8550	Business phone or address "
Person who accepted document Madeline Mikel	Residence address 450 Long Beach Blvd., Long Beach	Residence phone Beach	Business phone or address "
Vehicle used by suspect—describe in as much detail as possible None indicated		Amount of loss \$10.00	Amount of cash suspect received \$10.00
WITNESS(ES): Name None indicated		Residence address	Business phone or address
Victim's occupation Department Store	Type of premises Business area	Type of property obtained Cash	
Trademarks of suspects (acts, conversation, etc.)		Identification used to pass check D/L [redacted] & Voter's Registration	
Was document or endorsement written in his presence? YES ☐ NO ☐	Specify what parts, if any (face, etc.) ?	Signature of endorser Victim's	

PEN WRITTEN ☐	CONNECTED WITH CR 716 984	
BALL PEN ☐		
PENCIL ☐		
TYPEWRITTEN ☐		
HAND PRINTED ☐		
PROCTOGRAPHED ☐		
RUBBER STAMP ☐		
(Business or personalized. Name and address) Sears		No. 10.00
Pay to the order of Ten dollars -----and -----00/100		Date: July 23, 1966
(Name of Payee)		
(Written amount)		
Security First National Bank, East Long Beach Branch		P. L. Clevenger
(Name of Bank)		(City and branch)
		(Name of Maker)

Suspect(s) No. 1 CLEVENGER, Philip Lee		NO LRPD DR	
No. 2			
Name	Address used	Hair	Eyes
Accompanied by: Names, description, relationship, etc., of anyone with suspect(s)			

DETAILS: Describe evidence; summarize details not given above; itemize and describe any property obtained, including serial numbers and value.

For further details, see CR 716 984.

Gwen Boardman

DO NOT ARREST ON THIS CHECK. IF QUESTIONED ON ANOTHER CHARGE AND NOT BOOKED, LEAVE MEMO FOR FORGERY DETAIL. IF BOOKED ON ANOTHER CHARGE, PLACE HOLD FOR FORGERY DETAIL.

How many similar checks not reported to CII? Forgery Detail/1j		Dates 2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176		Total amount of checks 9-22-66 9:15AM	
Signature of reporting officer		Signature of Supervisor approving		Date and time	

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CAN V IDENTIFY S? YES ☒ NO ☐	WILL V SIGN COMPL? YES ☒ NO ☐	WAS CHECK POST DATED? YES ☐ NO ☒	WAS CHECK PREDATED? YES ☐ NO ☒	AGREEMENT TO HOLD? YES ☐ NO ☒	ANY PAYMENT REC'D? YES ☐ NO ☒							

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Person who accepted document Marking Mike	Residence address 450 Long Beach Blvd., LB	Residence phone 7023	Business phone or address "
Vehicle used by suspect—describe in as much detail as possible None indicated	Amount of loss \$17.66	Amount of cash suspect received \$17.66	
WITNESS(ES): Name Robert Lambrose	Residence address 16331 Timothy Lane, Westminster	Residence phone 8477023	Business phone or address HE 501 21
Victim's occupation Department Store	Type of premises Business area	Type of property obtained Cash	
Trademarks of suspects (acts, conversation, etc.)	Identification used to pass check D/L [redacted] & Voter's Registration		
Was document or endorsement written in his presence? YES ☒ NO ☐	Specify what parts, if any (face, etc.) ?	Signature of endorser Victim's	

PEN WRITTEN ☒	(Business or personalized. Name and address) No.
BALL PEN ☐	Date: July 23, 1966
PENCIL ☐	Pay to the order of: Sears
TYPEWRITTEN ☐	(Name of Payee)
HAND PRINTED ☐	Seventeen and -----66/100
PROCTOGRAPHED ☐	(Written amount)
RUBBER STAMP ☐	Security First National Bank, 4616 Los Coyotes Blvd., LB P. L. Cleveng er
	(Name of Bank) (City and branch) (Name of Maker)

Suspect(s) No. 1 CLEVENGER, Philip Lee, blk brn 5-8 140 dob 2-18-39	NO LBPD DR							
No. 2 PO Box 1754, Long Beach, Calif., 90801								
Name	Address used	Hair	Eyes	Hgt.	Wgt.	Age	Identification Number(s)	Identi-Kit Code No.
DO NOT ARREST ON THIS CHECK IF IT IS RETURNED ON ANOTHER CHARGE AND NOT BOOKED, LEAVE MEMO FOR FORGERY DETAIL. IF BOOKED ON ANOTHER CHARGE, PLACE HOLD FOR FORGERY DETAIL.								
DETAILS: Describe the evidence, summarize details not given above, itemize and describe the property obtained, including serial numbers and value.								
Additional check will be subject of a separate report.								
MVS advised D/L [redacted] was issued on 11-19-65 to Philip Lee Clevenger of 1626 N. Wilcox, Hollywood (4720 Atherton, Long Beach) same description as above. License is restricted to corrective lenses. Victim contacted by suspect on 7-29-66 by mail at which time suspect stated he would take care of checks and if victim did not receive prompt reply it was due to the fact suspect would be out of town for a week. Victim has not received any further response as of this writing. Bank advised this single name account was opened on 7-21-66 with \$200.00 and closed by customer on 7-25-66. Subject used D/L [redacted] for ID at time of opening account. Balance on 7-23-66 was \$175.00. No deposits made after 7-23-66. Bank has How many similar checks not reported to CII?								
Signatures of witnesses from other agencies, signatures of supervisor approving, and signatures of sub-agencies.								
Forgery Detail/lj								
9-13-66 11:10AM								

Long Beach, California
June 12, 1968

Memo SAC, (56-156) (P)

RE: KENSALT

On June 12, 1968 PAUL FISHER, Intelligence Division, Long Beach, California advised SA CARL L SHERWOOD that the Long Beach Telegram-Independent Newspaper reporters and members of the L.A. P.D. had been at the Long Beach P.D. collecting information concerning the associates of "SIRHAN" that had been arrested with him, "SIRHAN" at Flagstaff, Arizona. He stated that it was his understanding that "SIRHAN" had been arrested for vag. in company of PHILIP LEE CLEVINGER, aka CLEVINGER, who has a mother living in North Long Beach Apt #2 3300 block Andy St.; DAVID MYERS Jr. and RONNIE EDMAN HULEN, last known address 1740 Freeman Ave. Apt #1 Long Beach. He stated that there is no arrest record for "SIRHAN" or MYERS, however HULEN and CLEVINGER have come to the attention of the L.B.P.D. in the past.

FISHER advised that CLEVINGER had reportedly been arrested in Gary Indiana for Sodomy, convicted and judge mentally ill during 1966.

He advised that efforts to locate HULEN and CLEVINGER in the Long Beach area have been unproductive.

FISHER made available the photostatic copies of all the L.B. P.D. records pertaining to HULEN and CLEVINGER.

Attached are the records pertaining to HULEN and CLEVINGER which are self explanatory.

SA CARL L SHERWOOD

56-156-587

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles(56-156)

DATE: June 13, 1968

FROM : SA John R. Kellison

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On this date, an attempt was made to locate DAVID MYERS, JR., at the address 1630 Turk, La Puente, Calif. MYERS was arrested 5/26/66 with MUNIR SIRHAN.

It was determined thru a physical check that there is no such number as a 1600 block on Turk. It was determined that there was no 16830 or 16930 number on Turk.

A check of the telephone directory and the cross directory reflected no party by the name of Myers on Turk St.

A check of records of West Covina PD reflected no record in name of Turk.

A check of the Credit Bureau covering La Puente reflected no record of a David Myers who ever lived on Turk St.

The LaPuente Area is covered by the LASO and central records are in Los Angeles.

*Record (LASO)
re Myers
neg. 6/14/68*

*Obtain ID record
from Bu*

56-156-588

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Date: 6/14/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)
FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) (P)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Bureau teletype dated 6/6/68, and airtel dated 6/12/68.

Concerning the material contained in notebooks seized by the police from the subject's room, the following persons have been identified and have furnished background information of their limited association with the subject, mostly pertaining to the period 1966 while he was involved in horse training:

~~Miss JANET NEILSON~~
~~GWENDALEE GIM~~
~~MARIO VALENZUELA~~
~~Mrs. BETTY E. JOHNSTON~~
~~JERRY LEWIS LAMBERT~~
~~MARGARET LEE (PEGGY) OSTERKAMP~~
~~BORIS YARO~~

The following individuals have been identified and leads set out to locate and interview:

~~BRAULIO BAEGA~~
~~WALTER THOMAS RATHKE~~
~~LLOYD E. WALKER~~
~~JOHN STRATHMAN~~
~~Mrs. LILLY THURBER~~

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Subject's brothers advised on 6/13/68, that they have no knowledge of other names contained in subject's notebooks such as TYRONE CHAPMANN, GARNER TED ARMSTRONGE, T. DEUTSCH and JOHN DAYS and investigation continuing to identify and locate these persons.

Subject's family believes names such as SOL SONJUANINO, FIONA, PRINCE KILADE and MAWLEDENCOOR refer to race horse names.

The name GHATAS is a SIRHAN family name which is not presently used by any member of the family.

Concerning the Arabic writing in subject's notebook, members of the family believe practically all of it is nothing more than idle doodling or practice of writing in the Arabic script having stated that little of it makes sense.

Brothers of the subject, SAIDALLAH and ADEL SIRHAN have positively identified handwriting in English, Russian and Arabic in the notebooks as that of the subject, SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

Most of the pamphlets found in the subjects room where identified by family members as "throw away type" such as is delivered house to house or address "to occupant" and believe none of it was received by subject through subscription. They stated that most of the material he received through the mail regarded the Rosecrucians.

On 6/14/68, Mrs. SIRHAN advised that during the latter part of 1966 while her son, the subject, was living in Norco, California and working on a horse breeding ranch, he did write her a letter in which he enclosed \$10 and asked her to take care of his mail. She stated, however, that before she could forward anything to him, he returned home the next day and picked up one piece of mail which she recalls was a pamphlet from the Rosecrucians. She stated that in this letter he did give her his address in Norco; however, she has since turned that card over to the police department and she does not remember the address of her own recollection.

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Date:

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A review of the material is continuing and leads are being set out and covered as soon as they are developed. At this point, there is nothing significant which has not been reported to the Bureau.

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Special Agent in Charge

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA JAMES M. KELLOGG

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/12/68

MARY E. GILLESPIE, 1643 North Dillon, Los Angeles, telephone number ~~NO~~ 4-7469, who was previously interviewed concerning captioned matter, telephonically advised that OLIVE DE FACIA, telephone number 283-5598, was a volunteer worker at the Kennedy Campaign Headquarters, 5615 Wilshire Boulevard, in charge of the SRO event.

GILLESPIE advised that DE FACIA believed she observed SIRHAN SIRHAN at the campaign headquarters in the company of a male individual and that they were speaking in a foreign language.

LEAD

Will interview OLIVE DE FACIA, telephone number 283-5598, concerning her observations at Kennedy Campaign Headquarters regarding SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : SA ALAN W. MURDOCH

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Mrs. ELLEN YOPS, 10566 White Oak, Granada Hills, EM 3-2783, called the Van Nuys Resident Agency this date and requested complete anonymity in furnishing the following information.

She said her neighbor, Mrs. (fnu) SMITH, who resides in the large white house at the southwest corner of White Oak and Kingsbury Aves, Granada Hills, directly across the street from Mrs. YOPS but with a Kingsbury Avenue address, told her last night that she, Mrs. SMITH, had rented the small house at the rear of her property to a young man named SIRHAN who moved out suddenly just before or just after the assault on Senator KENNEDY. Mrs. SMITH said the young man had said that he was attending a university, not identified, but she noted that he had rough hands when he shook hands and she thought this odd for a university student. He was very neat clean and polite and he received a great deal of mail from ~~various~~ such places as Cuba and Arabia. His departure was very sudden and he told Mrs. SMITH when he left that she should destroy anything of his that she found and that she should not try to locate him.

Mrs. YOPS advised that she never saw the young man and had no further information about him. She again requested that she not be revealed as the source of the above information.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SAA CHARLES L. SAWYER, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/15/68

Re memo of SA ALAN W. MURDOCH dated 6/13/68.

~~Mr. WALTER L. SMITH and wife, MAYDA, 17704 Kingsbury Ave.,~~
~~Granda Hills, Calif. telephone 363-7306, were interviewed at~~
~~their residence on this date.~~

Both advised they were not acquainted with SIRHAN B. SIRHAN and only heard of him because of the publicity of the Kennedy Assault. They rented a small room in the rear of their home to An Arabian student attending San Fernando Vally College. This person resided with them from September, 1967 until May 20, 1968 or the entire school year. This person was definitely Arabian and had the name SAHOUEIL BISHARAT. Because of the difficulty in pronouncing his name they called him BILL.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Smith viewed a photo of SIRHAN and stated they had never seen this person visit their tenant.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/15/68

FROM : SA FRANCIS M. MULLEN, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Information was received from Mrs. GERALD PARMENTER, 419 North Third Street, Alhambra, California, that SIRHAN SIRHAN was a visitor at the residence of MARWAN SABHA, 415 North Third Street, apartment B, Alhambra. SIGRID SABHA was interviewed on 6/10/68, at which time she advised that SIRHAN SIRHAN was unknown to her.

LEAD

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AT ALHAMBRA, CALIFORNIA: Interview MARWAN SABHA to determine whether or not SIRHAN SIRHAN is known to him.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: June 15, 1968

FROM : SA EDWARD SCOTT, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Defense Counselor for SIRHAN SIRHAN, is
Attorney WILBUR F. LITTLEFIELD, who resides at
6700 Rubio Avenue, Van Nuys, California, home
telephone number 786-3952.

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TO : SAC L. A. (56-156)

DATE: 6-13-68

FROM : SA Leslie F. Warren

SUBJECT: Kensalt.

Re Memo SA J. Clare Williams, 6-5-68 re call from Charles Henerby-ser. 120.

Henerby interviewed 6-6-68 FD-302 dated 6-11-68.

Persons mentioned by Henerby have been interviewed :

Ellenore Severson-6-6-68- FD-302- 6-11-68.

Larry Strick-6-6-68- FD-302-6-11-68.

Margaret Sweeney-6-6-68- FD-302-6-11-68.

Khaibar Khan-6-10 & 11-68-FD-302's dictated 6-12-68 & 6-13-68.

The girl on crutches has been identified as a half sister of Kahn,

Mariam Kushan, aka. Rose Kahn interviewed 6-11-68 FD-302 being dictated 6-13-68.

No further leads outstanding basis of info furnished by Henerby.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC L. A. (56-156)

DATE: 6-13-68

FROM : SA Leslie F. Warren

SUBJECT: Kensalt

Re memo SA Richard G. Douce 6-8-68 (ser. 222) and SA A.O. Richards 6-8-68 (ser. 221) re interview of TV personalities who stabled horses Granja Vista Del Rio horse farm, Corona, Cal.

~~Buddy Ebsen TV Actor was interviewed 6-11-68. FD-302 rough drafted 6-13-68.~~

Leads in FD-302 are:

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Esben's horses at the ranch 2 or 3 years ago were handled by Frank Delmara who is no longer there but can possibly be located through Burt Altafish who owns the ranch above. Frank might recall if Sirhan worked with any of Ebsen's horses. Ebsen has no recollection of Sirhan but found a photo of one of his horses which included a shot of an excersise boy, although only half of the face shown, which could be Sirhan. This photo was turned over to a rep. of Life Magazine 6-2-68. Ebsen never paid excersise boys or handlers he paid a flat fee to the stables for this service.

At. Corona;

Lead: Interview and show photo of Sirhan to Frank Delmara. Contact through Burt Altafish at above horse stables.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC L. A (56-156)

DATE: 6-13-68

FROM : SA Leslie F. Warren

SUBJECT: Kensalt

Ref. FD-71 6-5-68 serial 24, call from Elenore Severson.

also FD-302 dated 6-11-68 re interview of Elenore Severson 6-6-68.

Persons mentioned in FD-302 have been interviewed as follows:

Khaibar Khan-6-10&11, 68-FD-302's dictated 6-12-13-68

Larry Strick-6-6-68 FD-302 dated 6-11-68

Bill Henerby-6-6-68 FD-302 dated 6-11-68

Girl on crutches-Mariam Kushan, aka., Rose Khan-6-11-68-FD-302 pending.

Re data mentioned in FD-302 by Severson about observing man on TV she thought was ident to a man brought to Kennedy campaign headquarters by Khan: names of the persons brought there by Khan have been obtained and are to be interviewed in a separate phase. Consequently no further leads are being set out on basis of what Severson furnished.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA LLOYD O. BOGSTAD

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memo of SA LLOYD O. BOGSTAD, dated 6/10/68, and FD 302's of PATRICIA ELIZABETH NELSON dated 6/6/68, 6/8/68, and 6/14/68, and FD 302's of JOSEPH THOMAS KLEIN, dated 6/7/68 and 6/8/68, and of THOMAS STEVEN WEAVER dated 6/8/68 and 6/8/68.

Photographs of the unknown person identified by PATRICIA ELIZABETH NELSON, JOSEPH THOMAS KLEIN, and THOMAS STEVEN WEAVER on video tape of ABC news cast which they observed on 6/7/68, and had been taken from the video tape by RICHARD D. FERNANDES on 6/7/68, have been placed in 1-A section of this file.

Copies of the above photo have also been furnished by SA BOGSTAD to Sergeant J. R. MAC ARTHUR, Room 803, Los Angeles Police Department Headquarters. MAC ARTHUR advised SA BOGSTAD on 6/13/68 that he recalled talking to PATRICIA NELSON on this matter at the Ambassador Hotel 6/5/68. MAC ARTHUR did not know the individual in the above photograph, and said that no action had been taken on the information furnished by NELSON.

NELSON, as revealed in the FD 302 dated 6/14/68, after further thoughts on the matter and viewing the video tape, said that she had doubts now that what she had originally speculated could have been the stock of a gun protruding from a package of the unknown person that she had observed running from the Embassy Room of the Ambassador Hotel at about 12:10 a.m. on 6/5/68, could in fact have been the stock of a gun. This conclusion is based on what she had observed on the video tape, mainly that she was of the opinion that the package pictured on the tape was the same that she had seen the man carrying, further that this package appeared to be extremely light in weight in the manner in which it was handled when presented to Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY by the man in question for autographing. (152)

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It should further be noted that KLEIN and WEAVER also identified the package in possession of the unidentified man on the video tape as the same package that they had seen in possession of the man running from the Embassy Room about 12:10 a.m. on 6/5/68, and neither of them had noted anything about the package which had caused them to believe that a gun stock was protruding from one end of it.

WILLIAM P. MC SHERRY, Television News Director, ABC, 4151 Prospect Avenue, Los Angeles, California, advised on 6/7/68, that ABC film editors in searching video tapes on the KENNEDY affair had frozen a frame of the person carrying the package and later identified by NELSON, WEAVER, and KLEIN as the man they had in question, because the ABC news editors had originally thought that this individual could have been SIRHAN SIRHAN, but after getting further identification and photographs of SIRHAN had eliminated this photograph as possibly being a photograph of SIRHAN.

MC SHERRY also voiced an opinion that the package in question appeared to be rolled up posters, and it is also the opinion of SA's LESLIE F. WARREN and LLOYD O. BOGSTAD, who viewed this video tape at the same time, that the package in question appeared to be rolled up campaign type posters.

Based on the observations and the apparent lightness of the package in question, the possibility that this package contained a rifle or shotgun, and in fact had a gun stock protruding from it, is of sufficient remoteness that an extensive investigation in attempting to identify the unknown individual is not warranted at this time.

No further action is recommended at this time.

The Honorable J. Edgar Hoover,
Chief of Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D.C.

June 5, 1968

Dear Sir,

I have just recently returned from Israel where I spent some time researching a book which I am writing now concerning the Six Day War of last year. Because of the tragic event that occurred in Los Angeles today, I feel that I must write and hope that I can add something to the investigation in the attempted assassination of Robert F. Kennedy.

While the 'biggies' of our TV news media, Huntley, Brinkley, Cronkite, Sevaried et al, decry the hostile air in America today, and the entire nation in fact cries against the deranged mind that pulled the trigger, I would like to suggest that perhaps the mind is not so deranged. I would like to suggest that an understanding of the Arab mentality be entered into this investigation. Though it is totally abhorrent to the Western mind, assassination has long been a part of the Arab scene. It does not take too much of a stretch of the imagination to see how the Arab mind can perpetrate such a thing. It is the same mind that can place a land mine in the path of a school bus and kill two and injure 26 students; or the mentality that fires the cannon that kills a farmer while he peacefully works his fields. It is this mentality that can scream for their Jihad, their Holy War to eliminate a nation, when the rest of the world is still reeling from the effects of the genocides of World War II.

In other words, sir, this mentality which is so puzzling to our way of thinking (even the Russians cannot understand the Egyptians) could very well have been the driving force behind this man's actions. What we may consider deranged by our standards could be a perfectly acceptable, indeed even an honorable performance, by Arab standards.

I understand the suspect has been in the U.S. for eleven years and has been associated with Arab student activities. So I may not have anything to offer you. Yet, I would offer only as a suggestion that this man's possible connections with al Fatah or similar terrorist organizations from Jordan or other Arabian nations not be overlooked.

I watched the debate between Kennedy and McCarthy and the statement that Senator Kennedy made concerning our helping Israel, was by itslef innocuous. But to the Arab mentality it could easily have started the fuze that set this man off. Nasser of Egypt could easily arouse his Arabs to a frenzy of blood lust with a few words. So I am simply saying that one should not overlook the Arab mentality in trying to analyze this thing. Please consider this, and also question the suspect about his possible ties with al Fatah.

Sincerely,

Richard R. Rogers

Raymond Klass, Lt. Col. USAF Ret.
205 Buck Drive,
Fort Walton Beach,
Florida 32548

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June 12, 1968

~~Mr. Raymond Klass~~
205 Buck Drive
Fort Walton Beach, Florida 32548

Dear Mr. Klass:

I have received your letter dated June 5, 1968.

Thank you for giving us the benefit of your observations concerning the murder of Senator Robert F. Kennedy. You may be assured that every effort will be expended in this investigation.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

① - Los Angeles (Enclosure)

NOTE TO SAC, LOS ANGELES: Enclosed for Los Angeles is a copy of Mr. Klass' letter.

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RICHARDS AOKJ

June 5th 1968

Wednesday Morning

Re: (Of Robert Kennedy) (Investigations)

Re: (Investigations)

I saw read in the paper, of the Assassination ~~of~~ against Robert Kennedy in the State of California.

I so advise that (Ernest Oswald?) of San Francisco State, returned back from California, to San Francisco City.

And as I understand, if the deceased to open a hotel, at Port Vallabate, with a German Refugee Woman, (here in Japan?)

Please keep this Confidential. (Thanks?)

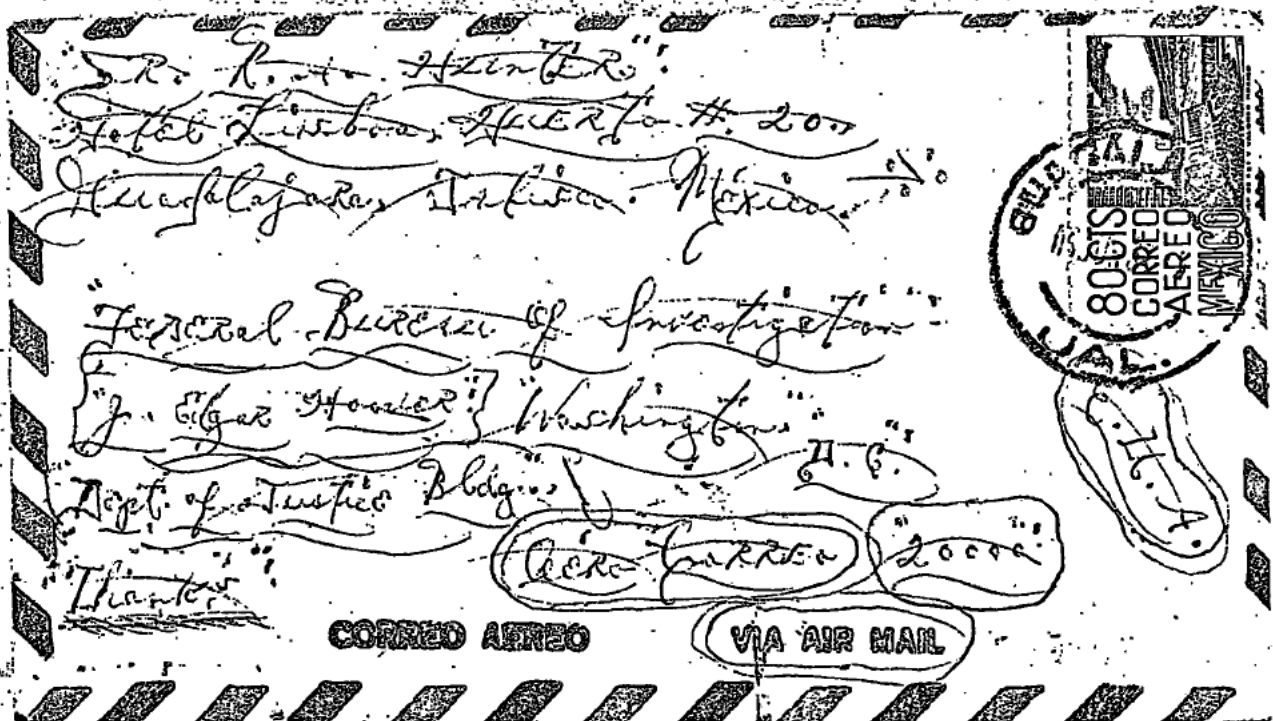
Very Truly yours,
(An American Citizen)

L. A. Hunter

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"June 5 Th. 1968"!
"Wednesday Morning"!

"Re" ("Of Robert Kennedy"!) ("Investigation's"!)

To ("Investigation's",)

I so read in the Paper's. of the Assissination
("try") against Robert Kennedy. in the (State of California"!)

I so advise that (Earnesto Oswald) of several
weeks' ago, returned back from California, to Guadalajara
City.

And as I understand, of the desires to open a
Hotel at Port Vallahrata, with a German Refugee Woman.
("here in Zapapon"!)

Please Keep this Confidential. ("Thank's"!)

("Very Truly yours,")
("An American Citizen"!)

/s/

("R. A. Hunter"!)*

*It is noted that miscellaneous drawings
and lines were omitted from the true copy.

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Legat, Mexico City

June 11, 1968

Director, FBI (62-587)

KENSALT

Enclosed herewith for Legat, Mexico City are one Xerox copy and one true copy of a letter dated 6/5/68 and signed R. A. Hunter.

Legat, Mexico City should arrange for Hunter to be interviewed concerning any information of value that he might have concerning captioned matter. You should note Mr. Hunter desires this matter to be kept confidential. Receipt of Mr. Hunter's letter by the Bureau should be acknowledged at the time he is interviewed.

For information of Legat, Mexico City, Hunter is unidentifiable in Bureau files. Advise Bureau of all pertinent results.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

FROM: SAC, WFO (173-135) (P)

KENSALT

ReBureau airtel to Los Angeles and WFO 6/7/68.

On 6/13/68, EARL OLANDIA MURPHY, 5932 3rd Street, N.W., WDC, advised that a few days before the assassination of Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, he attended a rally for Senator KENNEDY at 14th and Park Road, N.W., WDC.

He stated a white male approximately 35-40 years of age, 5'6", 200 pounds, of stocky build, wearing a dark top coat and hat stood next to him as the Senator was speaking. He said this man held up a round object gray in color, approximately 2' long and 3" in diameter with an electric cord extending from it.

MURPHY said he asked the man what the object was and the man replied it was a microphone. MURPHY said this man then moved around the outer circle of the crowd and moved in toward Senator KENNEDY. MURPHY said he followed the man a short distance, the man moving in a fairly rapid fashion; however, the man disappeared in the large crowd. MURPHY stated it was

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possible this man was a technician from the press and moved into a better position. He said he could not describe this individual further as the light was poor; Senator KENNEDY was then speaking at a late evening hour. MURPHY said he doubted whether he could recognize this man if he should see him again due to the limited amount of light at the time.

MURPHY stated this man appeared to be alone and MURPHY stated he could furnish no additional information. He indicated he furnished this information as it might have had some connection to the shooting of Senator KENNEDY at Los Angeles.

Mr. MURPHY's interest and cooperation in this matter were acknowledged. WFO conducting no further investigation at this time.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA E. RHEAD RICHARDS, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/14/68

On 6/7/68, SA E. RHEAD RICHARDS, JR. interviewed JESUS PEREZ, an employee in the kitchen at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles. PEREZ was interviewed in the Spanish language in an attempt to obtain from him a statement concerning the events that he saw in the hotel in connection with the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

PEREZ stated that he would not make any statement or furnish any information to anyone concerning this matter inasmuch as he had been instructed by the Los Angeles County Grand Jury Foreman that he was not to divulge any information to anyone concerning the things he testified to at the Grand Jury. He stated that the only way he would furnish the FBI with an account of what he saw was if he were to receive information from the Foreman of the Los Angeles County Grand Jury to release this information.

On 6/12/68, JESUS PEREZ was reinterviewed by SA E. RHEAD RICHARDS, JR. and SA JAMES CAGNASSOLA, JR., at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles and he was again interviewed in the Spanish language and he once again advised that he would not furnish any information concerning the events he saw or the testimony he gave in connection with the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. He stated that if he should obtain permission from the Foreman of the Los Angeles County Grand Jury he would be willing to furnish the FBI with any information they desired. Arrangements were made with PEREZ to pick him up at his residence, 1451 South Burlington Avenue, Los Angeles, at 8:00 a.m., on 6/13/68, and take him to the Grand Jury Room in the Justice Building in Los Angeles, to obtain the permission of the Grand Jury foreman for him to be interviewed by the FBI.

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On 6/13/68, PEREZ was taken to the Grand Jury Headquarters in Los Angeles, where he was instructed that it was permissible for him to furnish any information requested by the FBI and he then consented to an interview on that date. He was then interviewed in the Spanish language by SA RICHARDS at the Los Angeles FBI Office and the results of said interview are set forth on a FD 302.

NOTE: Hand print names legibly; handwriting satisfactory for remainder.

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases			Address of subject			Character of case KENSALT		
Complainant RUTH BEHUNIN			Complainant's address and telephone number 3839 Cochran Ave. LA, Calif. 295-9790			Complaint received ☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date 6-14-68 Time 9/25am		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion			
	Scars, marks or other data							

Facts of complaint

C. stated she ~~may~~ might have some information, based on womans intuition, that could be of some intrest to this office. C. stated SHAKED HAMDEN, 3814 Cochran Ave, LA, Calif., an Arab living on the same street as the C. C. stated his wife and children had left for Lebanon 6-1-68. Since that time he has had a young dark haired female visitor staying at his house. This girl drives a 1967 or 68 Bluish-Green Mustang. C. stated she could furnish no further information at this time.

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Larry E. Mullins
(Agent)

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA RICHARD M. FOX

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re FD-171 of SA THOMAS R. JUDD dated 6/7/68.

Mr. ~~JOHN ROBERT SOPKO~~, Freelance Newsreel Photographer, 835 North Benton Way, Los Angeles, California, was interviewed on 6/7/68 by SA's RICHARD M. FOX and CARL E. PILKVIST. He advised that on 6/5/68, he was watching CBS television while Senator KENNEDY was making his victory speech. He noticed two men standing behind Senator KENNEDY holding 35mm cameras in their hands. They looked suspicious to him since it appeared to him that they did not know anything about photography. He advised that they held the cameras in such a position that it would seem that they were not familiar with handling cameras. On at least two occasions, the Senator appeared to look around at these individuals.

Mr. SOPKO was shown a photograph of Senator KENNEDY which was taken during the Senator's victory speech. After looking at this photograph, Mr. SOPKO could not identify the individuals who were standing behind KENNEDY. He described these two men as being attired, one in a blue denim jacket and the other in a white shirt. He could furnish no other information regarding these individuals other than the fact that they looked suspicious to him.

Mr. SOPKO said that if the FBI desired to review the film presented by CBS that night, they could do so by contacting CBS studios at Beverly and Fairfax in Los Angeles.

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In view of the above, it is the opinion of the interviewing agents that no further investigation should be conducted regarding the information furnished by Mr. SOPKO.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA IRVIN B. WELLS, III

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Miss ELSIE BAER, 418 South Normandie, Apartment 216, Los Angeles, was contacted by the writer and SA ROBERT H. MORNEAU, JR. on 6/11/68 at her residence and furnished information as follows:

On Tuesday, 6/11/68, BAER and Mrs. LILLIAN LIBBY, age 84, whom BAER describes as being in a weakened state, both mentally and physically, entered Sandy's Restaurant located on the northeast corner of St. Andrews Place and Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, at approximately 6:45 P.M.. Upon entering the restaurant, BAER and LIBBY sat in a circular booth located in the northwest corner of the southernmost section of the restaurant. BAER explained that she sat facing south toward Wilshire Boulevard and related that in the adjacent booth to her left she observed a white male with shoulder length brown hair and a goatee, whom she described as a hippie type and a white female. She advised that, after initially noting these two individuals, they were joined by another white male whom she described as being clean-cut. She stated that, in approximately a half hour period, the hippie left the table and returned; the other white male left the table and returned; and once again the hippie left the table and returned. She stated that she did not observe the female speak any words and noted that she continued to stare straight ahead the entire time she was in the restaurant. BAER continued that later she observed the hippie passing a roll of currency under the table to the other white male. Thereafter, the hippie departed the restaurant, walked east on Wilshire to St. Andrews, and thereafter north on St. Andrews out of sight.

BAER was displayed four photographs of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN after which she advised that he is definitely neither of the white males she observed in the restaurant. She stated, however, that she contacted the FBI inasmuch as she felt that the trio appeared conspiratorial and the

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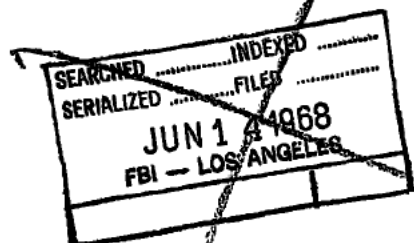
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female had blond hair. She noted that this girl could possibly have been the blond girl who was observed after the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

In view of the fact that the above information is nonspecific in nature, it is felt that no further action should be taken at this time concerning BAER's call to this office.

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NOTE: Hand print names legibly; handwriting satisfactory for remainder.

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases KENSALT			Address of subject 			Character of case KENSALT		
Complainant Dr. EDWARD MARSHALL Wadsworth (VA) Hospital Sawtelle Avenue W. L. A.			Complainant's address and telephone number Tel. 479-2013 1408 Armacot Avenue West Los Angeles California			Complaint received ☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date 6/13/68 Time 10:00 PM		
Subject's Description	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace		
	Age	Weight	Eyes	Complexion				
	Scars, marks or other data							
Facts of complaint C. advised he is a doctor at the VA Hospital, W. L. A., and last night (6/12/68) he was on duty in the admitting office, from 8:00 to 12:00 Midnight. One of the hospital's employees, a young woman of about 23, came to him for treatment, because she was too nervous and distraught to work. She would not reveal to him the cause of her nervous condition, and he did not pursue the matter. But, because of her state, he sent her home, and advised her to go to her parents parents' home, because she was in no condition to take care of herself. C. advised that this lady is employed in the Dietary kitchen at the hospital. He does not know her name, but it would appear on the list of persons who were admitted for any kind of treatment during during that period of time; and there were only about 18 or 20 of them. C. did not pay much attention to the girl until after he had gotten off work, and then he read in the newspaper about the "girl in the polka dot dress" that is being sought in connection with KENNEDY's murder. From the description that is in the paper, he feels that there is the possibility that she is the girl. C. has nothing to go on other than her actions and description. C. described the girl as being about 23 years of age, with dark hair that hung to just above her shoulders. He was unable to determine whether she was of Mexican or Mediterranean descent, but on final analysis, he feels that she is probably Mediterranean, because								
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she had excessive growth of hair on her face and arms, which he deems is characteristic of Mediterraneans. She spoke good English, with just a trace of accent, which he could not identify.

C. advised that the list of persons who were treated during the evening, as described above, would have been turned over to D. MANNY COHEN. Dr. COHEN is the Chief of the Admitting Section of the Hospital.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA JAMES CAGNASSOLA, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/13/68

Re memo of SA FRANCIS M. MULLEN, JR. dated 6/7/68 re interview of witnesses who were to appear before the Los Angeles County Grand Jury.

On 6/7/68, Supervisor WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN was contacted concerning the interview of the Grand Jury witnesses and instructed that police officers and doctors who would appear as witnesses should not be interviewed prior to the receipt of reports prepared by these individuals. NOLAN said that arrangements had already been made to obtain the reports prepared by the Police Department, physicians at Central Receiving Hospital, physicians at Good Samaritan Hospital, and the autopsy report. He said these reports will include the statements made by the witnesses. After these official reports have been received by the Los Angeles Office, he will determine whether a personal interview with these witnesses should be conducted.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA THOMAS G. MANSFIELD

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/13/68

Re Serial 56-156-292.

The following investigation was conducted by
SAs THOMAS G. MANSFIELD and WILLIAM R. WHITLEY:

On 6/9/68, DOROTHY WEAKLEY was interviewed at her residence 847 Exposition Boulevard West, Harris Plaza Apartments. WEAKLEY added that she is a master's degree candidate at the University of Southern California (USC) where she is studying Occupational Therapy. WEAKLEY acknowledged that she personally appeared at the Los Angeles FBI Office on 6/7/68 furnishing information that she believed a classmate by the name of HARRIETT SCHMALZ might be involved in the killing of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. WEAKLEY acknowledged that she also had furnished information to the Los Angeles FBI Office about 1½ months ago which information implicated SCHMALZ in the death of MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

WEAKLEY advised she believes that SCHMALZ might be involved in the death of Senator KENNEDY for the following reasons:

On 5/22/68, she attended a shower at SCHMALZ' apartment at 309 South Alexandria. Six people attended the shower. During conversation with SCHMALZ at the shower, SCHMALZ stated that she had a friend who had a ticket to the KENNEDY campaign headquarters and SCHMALZ indicated that this friend was going to obtain a ticket for her to the KENNEDY campaign headquarters. SCHMALZ also indicated that she was going to wear her "new party dress". SCHMALZ also stated that it was a polka dot dress.

WEAKLEY advised that on another occasion, SCHMALZ had stated that she had eaten dinner at the Ambassador Hotel with her roommate ELLEN KEYSER. SCHMALZ stated that after they had finished their dinner, they had inspected the kitchen of the Ambassador Hotel. She did not recall the reason for SCHMALZ and KEYSER inspecting the kitchen.

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WEAKLEY stated that to her knowledge, SCHMALZ has never worked in any political campaigns nor has she ever expressed any anti-KENNEDY views. In summation, WEAKLEY stated that she thought SCHMALZ might be involved in the killing because she has been to the Ambassador Hotel, has seen the kitchen, had mentioned that she has purchased a polka dot dress, and had indicated that she might have a ticket to visit the KENNEDY campaign headquarters.

On 6/9/68 and 6/10/68, efforts to locate and interview HARRIETT A. SCHMALZ at Apartment 216, 309 South Alexandria were unsuccessful.

On 6/12/68, HARRIETT A. SCHMALZ was interviewed at her residence Apartment 216, 309 South Alexandria, by SA MANSFIELD. SCHMALZ advised that she is on leave of absence from the Veterans Administration Hospital at Waco, Texas. She stated she is a graduate student at USC where she is studying for a master's degree in Occupational Therapy.

She advised she has never visited the campaign headquarters of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. She disclosed that on 6/4/68, the evening Senator KENNEDY was shot, she was home alone at her apartment typing a monograph. She became sleepy at 11:00 p.m. and went to bed, and set her radio alarm clock for 2:00 a.m. 6/5/68. She awoke at 2:00 a.m. and heard on the radio that Senator KENNEDY had been shot. She advised she does not own a polka dot dress and she offered to let the interviewing agent inspect her wardrobe for a polka dot dress. SCHMALZ stated that she recently did buy a new white colored "play dress" which is the type of dress that is usually worn over a bathing suit. She advised she has never been inside the Ambassador Hotel. She said that when she arrived in Los Angeles in September 1967, she took a drive through the driveway of the Ambassador Hotel so she could observe the hotel as she considered it a tourist attraction inasmuch as the famed Cocanut Grove was located at the hotel.

She was exhibited photographs of SIRHAN SIRHAN. She advised that she has never seen this individual and knows no one by that name.

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Concerning DOROTHY WEAKLEY, she mentioned to WEAKLEY previously that she had been interviewed by the FBI concerning the killing of MARTIN LUTHER KING. WEAKLEY at that time, admitted that she had called the FBI about her (SCHMALZ) and WEAKLEY stated she felt bad about KING's death and figured this was the way she could relieve her tensions. SCHMALZ stated that she knows WEAKLEY feels very strong about civil rights matters and she had worked in Cleveland, Ohio, in the political campaign for Mayor STOKES.

In view of the above information, no further action is contemplated in this matter.

DEATH THREAT TO KENNEDY

Sen. Robert F. Kennedy was struck in the head by small stones three hours after police received an anonymous telephone call warning of a threat on his life last night.

Van Nuys police placed all their units on alert after a 7 p.m. telephone call came from an unidentified man who said his brother told of plans to kill the Massachusetts senator.

Then, as Kennedy and his aides drove away from Los Angeles Valley College, Van Nuys, where he had made an appearance, a shower of rocks was thrown into his open convertible.

The rocks "apparently were thrown from an overpass near

the college," said press aide Jerry Maher. After being hit, Kennedy ducked for cover. One of Kennedy's national staff members, Fred Dutton, also was hit by a number of small rocks which police believe were thrown by several youthful persons on the overpass.

There was no sign of blood on Kennedy, a witness said.

Maher said the death threat, which was a "surprise" to him, and the rock-throwing incident

wouldn't change Kennedy's plans.

"We're going to make all the appearances we're scheduled for," he said. Kennedy, who didn't require medical treatment, was whisked to the Ambassador Hotel.

After the anonymous telephone call, Van Nuys officers placed themselves in strategic positions at the college and dispatched their cars only on emergency calls.

"A police sergeant said, 'All we know is, we got a telephone call from somebody who said he was afraid his brother was going to try to kill Sen. Kennedy. Nobody has been arrested yet, but our investigation is continuing.'

BOBBY's arrival —
and speech: Page 3.

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If orally furnished and reduced to writing by Agents: Date _____ Dictated _____ to _____ Transcribed _____ Authenticated by Informant _____		Date of Report Date(s) of activity 5-15-68
Brief description of activity or material Copy of article in L. A. Herald - Examiner about May 16-68 re "Death Threat to Kennedy" Van Nuys, 5-15-68.		File where original is located if not attached

Remarks: Source phoned 6-12-68 re above article which had showed up in KNXT files, bearing no date. She ascertained the incident occurred on Wed. night 5-15-68. She sent it in for information, case it had not been called to the FBI's attention.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA DAVID H. COOK
SA WILLIAM L. BOURQUE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/15/68

Re memo of Supervisor ROBERT H. MATHESON, JR.
6/13/68.

On 6/13/68, ~~RONALD T. BENNETT~~, a staff photographer for United Press International (UPI), 1543 West Olympic Boulevard, Suite 438, Los Angeles, telephone 387-7221, advised that he and a fellow photographer, DAVE KENNERLY, were at the Ambassador Hotel taking pictures the night that Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was shot. BENNETT advised that the following individuals, who he knows as photographers, were also at the Ambassador Hotel taking pictures either on the Fifth Floor where KENNEDY's suite was located or in the hotel ballroom.

~~HOWARD DECKER~~, free-lance photographer, ^{DONE}_{zm}
working for UPI 6/5/68, who can be
reached at 672-5543;

~~BILL EPPRIDGE~~, Life Magazine Staff ^{DONE}_{zm}
photographer, New York City;

~~JIM WILSON~~, CBS News, Los Angeles; ^{L. WARREN}

~~ONDINE VAUGHN~~, Screen Gems Studio, ^{W. WARREN}
Los Angeles, can be contacted through
~~SALLY POWERS~~ at Screen Gems or at ^{WARREN}
~~VAUGHN's~~ former residence, 170 West
73rd Street, Apartment 9-D, New York City;

~~STAN TRETICK~~, Look Magazine Staff ^{COOK}
photographer;

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Time and Newsweek Staff Photographers,
names unknown;

~~VIRGINIA GUY~~, free-lance photographer
and photographer for Pictorial Parade,
described as middle-aged white female,
estimated in late 30's.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. Will locate and interview in depth the above photographers who are in the Los Angeles area, and if any can not be located in this area, will set forth leads to have them interviewed.

(2) Will obtain negatives of any photographs they may have taken on the night of the KENNEDY assassination.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA RICHARD J. RAYSA

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/11/68 JOHN H. WEIDNER, 933 Country Road, Monterey Park, California, (573-4947), advised he is the owner of three health food stores, namely, Organic-Pasadena, 1380 North Lake Avenue, Pasadena; Monterey Nutrition, 105 North Garfield, Monterey Park, California; and Nutriville, 7822 East Florence, Downey, California; and that he employed SIRHAN SIRHAN as a stock boy at the Organic-Pasadena store from 9/24/67 through 3/7/68. As part of his employment, SIRHAN made deliveries to WEIDNER's health food stores in Monterey Park and Downey, California.

WEIDNER indicated that the following employees at both the Organic-Pasadena store, and his stores in Downey and Monterey Park, would have been acquainted with SIRHAN:

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①. RETTA DRAKE, 2516 Strathmore, Rosemead, California, who managed the Organic-Pasadena store for WEIDNER from 2/25/68 to 3/7/68, quitting on the same day as SIRHAN. WEIDNER described DRAKE as approximately 35 years of age, and noted that both DRAKE and SIRHAN filed a petition for wages due against WEIDNER with the Labor Commissioner, Division of Labor Law Enforcement, Los Angeles State Office Building, in mid-March, 1968. WEIDNER does not know whether DRAKE and SIRHAN previously agreed to petition the Labor Commissioner at the same time.

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②. CHERYLE PIERCE, 8757 East Guess, Rosemead, California, 17 or 18 years of age, who worked approximately one month for WEIDNER in January, 1968.

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③ LOIS PALMER, 7847 East Blantwood Road, Downey, California, who is still employed at WEIDNER's Downey store, namely, Nutriville, 7822 Florence Avenue, Downey, California, and would have had some contact with SIRHAN.

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4. MARCIA GIBOUARD, 731 Fairview, Arcadia, California, who terminated her employment with WEIDNER in March, 1968, worked at WEIDNER's stores in Pasadena and Downey, California, and was acquainted with SIRHAN.

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⑤ MARGARET V. ROLIN, 11005 Stockwell Drive, Lynwood, California, who works at WEIDNER's Downey Store.

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⑥ VIRGINIA LYTFEE, 11703 Samolini, Downey, California, who also works at the Downey, California, store.

⑦ ELSIE BOYKO, 154 East Mountain Street, Pasadena, California, who works at the Organic-Pasadena store.

Above individuals, if not already interviewed, should be contacted for all information regarding SIRHAN.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA JAMES CAGNASSOLA, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/14/68

ATTN: SA ~~FRANK~~ ^{Robert Pickard} ~~DONOVAN~~
~~American Employees~~
RE: ~~KENNEDY~~ ~~PERRY~~

Re FD-302 interview of RAFAEL JOHNSON, 6/13/68, by
SAs CAGNASSOLA and WOOD.

The following information was obtained from RAFAEL JOHNSON and should be taken into consideration during the interviews of employees at the Ambassador Hotel. JOHNSON said that the freight elevator which was used by the KENNEDY party from the fifth floor to the kitchen area was operated by a male employee. This employee was working at 12:00 A.M. on 6/5/68 and was dressed in a uniform. The only descriptive data which JOHNSON could furnish about this man was that he was not a Negro.

JOHNSON stated that when the freight elevator had reached the kitchen area, KENNEDY shook hands with three or four male kitchen employees and one white female employee. These employees were all wearing white uniforms.

Although the above individuals saw KENNEDY prior to the shooting, they may have observed SIRHAN in the kitchen area or in other parts of the hotel.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA JAMES CAGNASSOLA, JR.

ATTN: SA TIMOTHY L. DONOVAN

SUBJECT: KENSALT

RE: KENNEDY PARTY

Re FD-302 interview of RAFER JOHNSON, 6/13/68, by
SAs CAGNASSOLA and WOOD.

JOHNSON stated that after KENNEDY finished his speech and began walking down the corridor into the serving kitchen, he and Mrs. PLIMPTON were approximately five feet behind him and were separated by a cameraman and soundman, identities unknown. If possible, it is suggested that an attempt be made to identify this cameraman and soundman since they would have been in the immediate area Senator KENNEDY was when the shooting occurred.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA JAMES A. MILLS

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memo of SA GILBERT G. BENJAMIN dated 6/13/68, concerning radio broadcast that SIRHAN SIRHAN had made three trips to the Middle East since coming to the United States, the first trip when he was 15 or 16 years of age, the second for seven months in 1964, and a 1966 trip to Cairo, Egypt.

The Bureau telephonically contacted Supervisor WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN concerning the above radio broadcast attributed to the BBC. Below is a list of dates accounting for SIRHAN B. SIRHAN's presence in the United States, which was obtained from a review of the first report submitted in this case in which information was supplied to the Bureau by Supervisor NOLAN:

September 1963 to
May of 1965

Attended Pasadena City
College

From 3/20/64 to
9/16/64

Employed Elite Service
Station, Pasadena

From 9/28/64 to
6/7/65

Employed Richfield Service
Station, Pasadena

8/25/65

MAROF BADRON was admitted to United States, one week later met SIRHAN at festival in Glendale; BADRON saw SIRHAN often during next several months.

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SIRHAN worked Santa Anita
Race Track during 45-day
meet, according to Paddock
Guard JOHN SHEAR.

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boy, California Horse Racing
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Employed Granja Vista Del
Rio Farm, Norco, California,
(injured 9/25/66, fall from
horse)

9/28/66 10/6/67
10/26/66 10/9/67
11/8/66 10/10/67
2/21/67 11/6/67
4/6/67 12/18/67
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On all listed dates, was
examined or treated by
doctors, according to
Argonaut Insurance or
Workmen's Compensation records.

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Employed Pasadena Organic
Food Company

4/10/68

Conversation with ALVIN CLARK,
garbage man

4/8/68 and 4/12/68

Presented checks, Crocker
Citizens National Bank,
Pasadena

5/28/68

Attended Rosicrucian meeting
at Pasadena

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : SA TIMOTHY L. DONOVAN

SUBJECT: KENSALT

RE INTERVIEWS OF MEMBERS OF
OFFICIAL KENNEDY PARTY

The Bureau advised this phase should be aggressively pursued as it is of utmost importance. It is also necessary to determine if there had been last minute changes following Senator KENNEDY's victory speech or just prior thereto, which resulted in his proceeding to the Colonial Room for purpose of press conference rather than to the Ambassador Ballroom. If a change did occur, attempt to determine who made the change, why the change was made and to what it was made.

DAVID MARK ESQUITY was interviewed 6/7/68 by SA RICHARD P. DOUCETTE and SA DAVID R. PENDER. ESQUITY, who resides at 6321 Lindenhurst Avenue, Los Angeles, was a volunteer worker in KENNEDY campaign. He stated that he was in the area of podium while the Senator made his victory speech. At that time he did not know which way he, KENNEDY, planned to exit after the speech, nor did anyone else that he knew of. About five minutes after termination of the speech he was told the Senator was to exit through the kitchen. He believes he may have been told this by JIM LOWE, another campaign worker.

Records of the KENNEDY Headquarters, Los Angeles, reflect that JIM LOWE resides at 4620 Coliseum, Los Angeles, telephone 652-8441.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. Contact ESQUITY and JIM LOWE concerning their knowledge of any changes in the Senator's plans to visit the Colonial Room rather than the Ambassador Ballroom at the termination of his speech.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
June 12, 1968

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

ARLINGTON ROBERT SCOTT
Also Known As "Jo Jo"
THREATS TO PRESIDENTIAL
CANDIDATES, JUNE 12, 1968

On June 10, 1968, at 9:00 AM, the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) reported that one Arlington Robert Scott, 2919 Bedford Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., telephonically contacted CIA Headquarters at 4:00 AM on June 8, 1968, and requested assistance and equipment from the CIA in that he needed help to go to California to see Senator Robert F. Kennedy's assailant was properly punished. Scott alleged he could not be certain that the assailant would not get off and since Senator Kennedy was the only friend of the Negro, he wanted to make sure Sirhan Sirhan would receive proper punishment. Scott was advised by the CIA to stay in Pittsburgh and to contact the local office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation if he had any information to offer.

On June 12, 1968, Arlington Robert Scott, 2919 Bedford Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., telephone 683-8063, advised that early in the morning on Saturday, June 8, 1968, he telephonically contacted the CIA in Washington, D. C., and spoke to a man whose name he cannot recall. Scott said he called because he was angry over the assassination of Senator Robert F. Kennedy and is concerned the assailant, Sirhan Sirhan, will not receive the punishment he deserves since he is not a citizen of the United States. He feels diplomatic pressure will be applied by Jordan which will result in Sirhan receiving a lighter sentence than he deserves. Scott said Sirhan killed Kennedy and, therefore, he should die also. He said Sirhan will be killed by a "suicide squad" prior to going to trial, but would not elaborate on who will make up the "squad."

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ARLINGTON ROBERT SCOTT
Also Known As "Jo Jo"
THREATS TO PRESIDENTIAL
CANDIDATES, JUNE 12, 1968

Scott was evasive when questioned if he personally plans to attempt any action against Sirhan, but admitted requesting assistance and equipment from the CIA in order that he could travel to California. Scott stated he will not incriminate himself by saying he plans to take some type of action against Sirhan nor would he say he is not going to attempt such an action.

Scott said he is practicing with a high-powered rifle equipped with a telescopic sight, which belongs to his Chinese girl friend, whose name he refused to give. Scott also stated that the feeling he has about Sirhan also applies to James Earl Ray, the accused assassin of Martin Luther King, Jr. Scott expressed hostility toward George Wallace, former governor of Alabama, and Pittsburgh Mayor Joseph Barr, but would not specifically state what he feels should be done about these individuals. However, Scott implied that both Wallace and Barr should be handled in the same fashion as Sirhan and Ray. Scott described himself as a "fanatic" and said he was treated at the State Mental Hospital in Petersburg, Va., from December 2, 1952, through April 13, 1953, for mental instability. He also stated he was treated at the Veterans Administration Hospitals in Roanoke, Va., during the late 1940's and early 1950's and in Pittsburgh, Pa., in 1967 for mental instability, and at St. Francis Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pa., in 1967 for the same reason. Scott said he served in the United States Army in 1946 through 1947 under Army serial number [REDACTED] and was given a medical discharge for being mentally unstable. Scott further stated he has had several operations in the past including one for ulcers and said he currently has scars on his lungs, which will prevent any future operations. Scott said he has little to live for and would willingly give up his own life in order to help his race.

The following description and other background information were obtained through observation and interview:

Name:	Arlington Robert Scott
Alias:	"Jo Jo"
Address:	2918 Bedford Avenue, second floor, Pittsburgh, Pa.

ARLINGTON ROBERT SCOTT
Also Known As "Jo Jo"
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Race:	Negro
Sex:	Male
Date of birth:	March 27, 1927
Place of birth:	Covington, Va.
Height:	5'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
Weight:	125 pounds
Hair:	Black
Eyes:	Brown
Marital status:	Married
Social Security No.:	[REDACTED]
Education:	Clifton Forge, Va., High School 11th grade
Relatives:	
Aunt:	Mrs. Lillian Cooper 726 Clarissa Street Pittsburgh, Pa.
Uncle:	Nester Merchant Homewood Section of Pittsburgh
Friend:	William Crawford 2916 Bedford Avenue Pittsburgh, Pa.
Arrest Record:	Clifton Forge, Va. - numerous arrests starting in 1947 for being drunk and disorderly, fighting, resisting arrest, etcetra; Norfolk, Va. - served three years in State Penitentiary at Norfolk, Va., 1952 through 1956 for felonious assault with intent to maim, disfigure and kill; Chicago, Illinois - arrested three times from 1959 through 1962 for being drunk and disorderly, served time in House of Corrections, Chicago; Pittsburgh, Pa. - numerous arrests for being drunk and disorderly, fighting, etcetra
Scars and marks:	Burn scar on right elbow; mole on upper right cheek

ARLINGTON ROBERT SCOTT
Also Known As "Jo Jo"
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The above information was furnished to Assistant Superintendent John P. Kelly and Sergeant William Armstrong, Pittsburgh Police Department, and Robert W. Foster, Assistant Special Agent in Charge, Secret Service, Pittsburgh, Pa., at approximately 9:30 AM, on June 12, 1968.

The United States Secret Service and Pittsburgh Police Department advised that subject, Scott, will be taken into custody and committed for psychiatric treatment under the Mental Health and Mental Retardation Act of 1966.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)
FROM: SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-583)
SUBJECT: "CHANGED"

ARLINGTON ROBERT SCOTT, aka
"Jo Jo" 62-0173069 plus many other
THREATS TO PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES
JUNE 12, 1968
175-0-151

Title marked changed, it being noted this matter previously carried under "Konnalt" caption.

Re Bureau telephone call to the SAC, Pittsburgh, 6/10/68; Bureau teletype to Pittsburgh dated 6/10/68; Pittsburgh teletypes to Bureau and Los Angeles dated 6/10/68, and 6/11/68, and Bureau telephone call to Pittsburgh 6/12/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau are four copies and for Los Angeles and Mobile are two copies of an LHM suitable for dissemination.

A copy of the LHM is being designated for United States Secret Service, Pittsburgh, Pa., and the Pittsburgh Police Department.

Interview of ARLINGTON ROBERT SCOTT was conducted by SA's RONALD WETHERINGTON and THOMAS A. HUGHES.

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1 copy furnished to Capt. Hughes
from by SA's
Deputy to Congress
to Congress
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA JEROME K. CROWE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

The following is set forth for information purposes concerning the Special Agent's currently assigned to the LASO County Central Jail on a liaison basis.

Inspector RALPH WELCH, Jail Division, LASO, summoned SA CROWE to his office and voluntarily advised him that he has been assigned by Sheriff PITCHESS as the official directly responsible for the welfare and security of SIRHAN. SA CROWE then commented that it would appear that he (WELCH) would be the official immediately advised if anything unusual etc., occurred concerning the prisoner. He advised that this was correct. He further advised he would then notify the Sheriff, Assistant Sheriff, Under Sheriff, and any other pertinent LASO officials. He was asked at what point the FBI agent on liaison duty at the jail might be advised and he replied that if the Sheriff directed him to advise the FBI he would, otherwise he would be precluded from doing so as per prior LASO orders not to discuss the case.

Inspector WELCH has been known to SA CROWE on a personal basis for at least the last ten years and they have worked together on numerous occasions in matters of mutual cooperation.

The above is furnished in order to relate the LASO policies regarding notification to the FBI in the event of any unusual occurrences relating to SIRHAN.

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*SPAC: New Group
It might be pertinent
if Sheriff Pitchess
would change the
notification procedure
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Pitchess told me he would contact
the Asst. and/or me at once
by*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA RUSSELL C. ANDERSON

SUBJECT: KENSAULT

During the course of an interview with FAZ'L (NMN) INAYAT KHAN, RESIDENCE ADDRESS 1450 COSSACKS PLACE, GLENDORA, CALIFORNIA, which took place on 6/14/68 he advised as follows:

He first met an individual he knew as SIRHAN, SIRHAN in the early spring of 1967 at a residence in Alhambra, exact address not recalled, but it was very close by the campus of California State College, Alhambra, and further it was very close by beeratavern known as Garfanos, Altedena California, (exact address not recalled). The above residence was rented by an individual known to him as OMAR DEZRK, who may also be related to SIRHAN. HE has had no contact with DEZRK since the spring of 1967.

He further advised that the previously mentioned property was a meeting place for a number of young adults of Jordanian, Syrian nationality and they were affiliated with a group known as "The Arabian Student Association". This group has members at USC, California State (Alhambra), and UCLA. The president of this association is FAIZULLH KHAN, exact address not known, but he is a graduate student at California State, Alhambra, majoring in political Science; he is a native of Afganastan where his brother is the prime minister. The above group were supporters of the "BATH PARTY" a mid east political party that has supported such events as the overthrow of King Faisal of Iraq, etc.,.

He was shown a photograph of SIRHAN taken 6/5/68 and advised that it resembles the individual he knew as SIRHAN. FD 302 on interview of INAYAT KHAN Being prepared.

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AT GLENDORA CALIFORNIA : Will recontact FAZ'L (NMN) INAYAT KHAN, 1450 Cossacks Place, telephone number 963-3668 in an effort to determine 1. exact address of the residence used by the above group for meetings, names of individuals, degree of association with SIRHAN etc.

2. Locate and interview FAIZULLH KHAN re: SIRHAN student directory at California State, Alhambra, is a graduate student, and where he is the President of the Student Association.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA JAMES CAGNASSOLA, JR.

ATTN: SA TIMOTHY L. DONOVAN

SUBJECT: KENSALT

RE: KENNEDY PARTY

Re FD-302 interview of RAFAEL JOHNSON, 6/13/68,
by SAs CAGNASSOLA and WOOD.

JOHNSON furnished the names of the following individuals who were in the KENNEDY suite at the Ambassador Hotel prior to the time the group left for the Embassy Room. This information was obtained in order to identify members of the KENNEDY party on 6/4-5/68 and it is unknown whether all of these individuals were witnesses to the shooting:

ETHEL KENNEDY
ROOSEVELT GRIER
BILL BARRY
JESSE UNRUH and son
TUCK (complete name unknown, KENNEDY staff member)
Mr. (LNU) WILSON, CBS
STAN (LNU), Look Magazine
BILL EPPRIDGE, Life Magazine
Mr. and Mrs. JOHN GLENN and son
Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE PLIMPTON
SANDER VANOGHUR
Mr. and Mrs. JOHN FRANKENHEIMER
Mr. and Mrs. JAMES WHITAKER
Mr. and Mrs. STEVEN SMITH
Mr. and Mrs. PIERRE SALINGER

JOHNSON stated that he believes that STAN (LNU) of Look Magazine and BILL EPPRIDGE of Life Magazine were the first individuals to leave the freight elevator when it reached the ground floor from the fifth floor.

At 12:00 A.M., 6/5/68, Mrs. PLIMPTON was walking with JOHNSON when he heard the first gunshots in the kitchen area.

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CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
PD NY NY	Henry R. Ramistella #380/437	9-3-56	1751 PL narc	
PD Co of Nassau Mineola NY	Henry Ronald Ramistella #23598	10-1-56	poss marijuana	11-20-56 PG 60 das sent susp
PD Co of Nassau Mineola NY	Henry Ronald Ramistella #23598	7-12-57	PL	
Dept of Pub Safety Providence RI	Henry R. Ramistella #24-065	7-25-47 7-25-57	vio Bank Laws	
PD West New York NJ	Henry Ramistella #2305	6-24-58	person (Narc) dis	
PD Miami Fla	Henry Ronald Ramistella #70783	12-31-59	Inv Heroin Addiction	12-31-59-rel to St Narc Bu
Metropolitan Pub Safety Dept Miami Fla	Henry Ronald Ramistella #73984	9-9-63	petty larc; resist arrest; W/O viol; 2 cts traff	
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Director.

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CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
PD Ocala Fla	Henry Ronald Ramistella #7498	11-14-63	drk	
PD Gainesville Fla	Henry Ronald Ramistella #4611	12-15-63	illegal purchase of drugs	
SO Gainesville Fla	Henry Ronald Ramistella #31,928 & 930	12-16-63	obtaining narc drugs by fraud (2 cts)	
SO Riverside Calif	Frank Donaruma #A 68518	4-23-66	23102a CVC (dk driving)	

Information shown on this Identification Record represents data furnished FBI by fingerprint contributors. Where final disposition is not shown or further explanation of charge is desired, communicate with agency contributing those fingerprints.

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Civil print from PD Miami Beach Fla #C-294731 was identified with this record and returned to contributor 3-11-60.

John Edgar Hoover
Director

June 12, 1968

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To: SACs, Newark (Enclosure)
Los Angeles (Enclosure)

From: Director, FBI

KENSALT

Re Los Angeles teletype to Bureau and Newark, 6/11/68.

Enclosed herewith for Newark and Los Angeles is one copy each of FBI Identification record for Henry R. Ramistella, also known as Frank Contreras, under FBI #385 697 C as requested in referenced teletype.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA IRVIN B. WELLS, III

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Complaint Form of IC PHILIP S. ANDREST, dated 6/11/68.

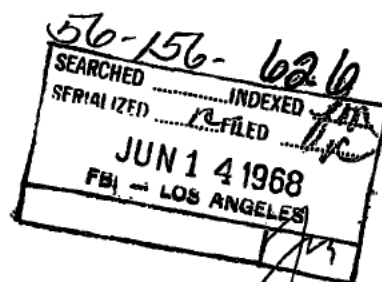
On 6/13/68 the following investigation was conducted by the writer and SA MYRON M. HITCH at Santa Monica, California:

MORRIS D. SKROOPKA, 933 Cecina Way, Los Angeles (Phone GR-2-8348) was interviewed at his place of employment 12041 Wilshire Boulevard, Room 4, Santa Monica (Phone GR-9-3662) and furnished information as follows:

In June, 1967, SKROOPKA attended an Israeli Bond Rally at the Hollywood Bown. SKROOPKA, who was a spectator and not connected officially with the rally, took six (6) photographs of some Arab demonstrators who picketed the rally from outside the Hollywood Bowl. SKROOPKA noted that he took the photographs only as a point of interest and has not considered them of any importance until recently, following the death of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. He displayed five photographs which had been processed from a negative roll of film consisting of six shots. He noted that the sixth photo was not processed or developed inasmuch as the face of the person in the photograph is not shown.

Upon inspection of the photographs it was determined that SIRHAN SIRHAN is not shown in any photograph. The negative film which SKROOPKA furnished is being placed in the 1-A section of this file. However, it is recommended that no further action be taken concerning the photographs mentioned herein above.

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At approximately 1:25 a.m., Special Agents FRANK T. CALLAHAN and JOHN ROBERT BARRON arrived at the fifth floor of the Good Samaritan Hospital located at 1212 Shatto Street, Los Angeles, California.

At the fifth floor and immediately outside of the Intensive Care Ward, Agents introduced themselves to the following members of the campaign staff of U. S. Senator ROBERT R. KENNEDY: THEODORE SORENSON, PIERRE SALINGER, STEPHEN SMITH and FRANK MANKIEWICZ.

At approximately 1:30 a.m., THEODORE SORENSON and PIERRE SALINGER requested, if possible, that the FBI attempt to contact Chief U. S. Marshal JAMES MC SHANE and request MC SHANE to proceed to Senator ROBERT KENNEDY's residence in Virginia to stay with the KENNEDY family.

At approximately 2:00 a.m., ROBERT CHANNEY, Los Angeles representative of Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company and WARREN KOSEL, National Representative of Bell Telephone Company, who were handling communications in connection with Senator ROBERT KENNEDY's campaign, were requested to install a private telephone number at the hospital for the use of the FBI. This installation was completed and in operation at approximately 3:30 a.m. under Telephone No. 483-0357.

At approximately 2:50 a.m., PIERRE SALINGER and FRANK MANKIEWICZ advised that Senator ROBERT KENNEDY had entered the surgery room at the hospital. The surgery was to be performed by three neurosurgeons and was expected to take approximately 45 minutes. SALINGER further advised that Senator KENNEDY had suffered bullet wounds in shoulder and head, extent of damage unknown.

At approximately 3:30 a.m., PIERRE SALINGER advised

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that doctors had reported that Senator ROBERT KENNEDY had suffered serious damage as a result of bullet wound behind right ear, bullet entering right mastoid area and bone and bullet splinters were in brain area. SALINGER stated that the area of the brain involved deals with respiratory and circulatory body functions and not memory bank of brain. The condition of Senator KENNEDY was described as seriously critical. SALINGER continued that in addition to above, Senator KENNEDY was suffering from partial paralysis of left body area.

At approximately 6:40 a.m., SALINGER and MANKIEWICZ advised that Senator KENNEDY was out of the operating room and was being returned to the Intensive Care Unit on the fifth floor of the hospital and that Senator KENNEDY's breathing had been supplemented by mechanical means; the full extent of damage as result of bullet wounds was still unknown other than that set forth above, and that the surgeons had removed partial bullet and several splinters of bullet from head area of Senator KENNEDY.

MANKIEWICZ stated that, according to the doctors, the following 12 to 36 hours would be deciding factors as to the condition of Senator KENNEDY.

During the course of the above, additional liaison was established with JAMES G. FISK, Deputy Chief, Los Angeles Police Department, Director of Community Relations, who had been assigned to the detail at the hospital and also Sergeant WILLIAM ZANONE, Intelligence Division, Los Angeles Police Department, also assigned to the hospital detail.

In addition, WILLIAM BARRY, former Special Agent of the FBI, who has been traveling with Senator KENNEDY as security aide, was advised of the presence of the aforementioned Agents and requested to notify Agents of any pertinent developments and full cooperation and assistance was extended to BARRY on behalf of the FBI.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 6/12/68

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Mrs. AMPARO SERRANO, 1949 West 27th Street, Lorain, Ohio, advised she is the mother of SANDRA SERRANO. She stated that her daughter telephonically contacts her from California quite frequently. Mrs. SERRANO stated that on June 4, 1968, at approximately 6:00 PM, Eastern Daylight Time (EDT) her daughter called to congratulate her brother, MANUEL U. SERRANO, upon his graduation from Admiral King High School in Lorain. At approximately 10:30 PM (EDT) on the same date her daughter again called her from California stating she was at ROBERT KENNEDY's campaign headquarters and that he was going to win the California primary election. Mrs. SERRANO stated she questioned her daughter about calling her so often and her daughter stated that she had received permission as all the volunteer workers were allowed to make telephone calls as they reportedly were being only charged a "flat rate" for the use of the telephones in the campaign headquarters.

Mrs. SERRANO stated that at approximately 3:30 AM (EDT) on June 5, 1968, she received a collect telephone call from her daughter in Los Angeles. As soon as her daughter was connected with Mrs. SERRANO she was obviously in a very hysterical state and made some mention that it had cost her \$3.00 to get the telephone from where she was calling but did not elaborate further concerning this. SANDRA then told Mrs. SERRANO that ROBERT KENNEDY had been shot and when Mrs. SERRANO said "What?", SANDRA repeated this statement. When Mrs. SERRANO asked SANDRA if ROBERT KENNEDY was dead, she replied that she did not know but remarked he had been shot after making his speech. Mrs. SERRANO stated that throughout the telephone conversation SANDRA was crying and was hysterical and difficult to understand. She stated that during this telephone conversation she was unable to recall SANDRA mentioning anything about observing any person or activity in connection with the shooting. SANDRA just kept repeating, "why would they do anything like this, he was such a good man?" In addition, SANDRA asked to speak with her father but when Mrs. SERRANO asked him if he desired to speak with SANDRA he declined, stating he was too upset to talk to her at that time.

On 6/8/68 at Lorain, Ohio

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by SA ROBERT H. WILSON/jky

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Mrs. SERRANO advised that at approximately 8:00 AM on June 5, 1968, SANDRA again telephonically contacted her and at this time stated she had been on the terrace of the Ambassador Hotel prior to ROBERT KENNEDY's speech and had observed two men who she described only as Mexican-Americans, accompanied by a girl who she described as white. SANDRA stated that after the shooting she observed one of these men and the same girl running from the hotel area. She did not elaborate any further nor did she further describe any of these individuals.

Mrs. SERRANO stated she could recall no further details of her telephone conversations with her daughter. She explained that due to all the excitement surrounding the shooting of ROBERT KENNEDY and her concern for her daughter it would be impossible for her to remember every detail and she did not take notes of any of the conversations inasmuch as she did not think it was important at the time.

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MANUEL M. SERRANO, 1949 West 27th Street, Lorain, Ohio, advised he is the father of SANDRA SERRANO. He stated SANDRA called home at least twice on June 4, 1968, and again at approximately 3:30 AM on June 5, 1968. He stated he did not talk with his daughter during any of these calls although she did ask to speak with him when she called at approximately 3:30 AM on June 5, 1968. He stated that inasmuch as his wife, AMPARO, told him during the course of this telephone conversation that ROBERT KENNEDY had been shot, he did not feel emotionally able to speak with his daughter at this time.

Mr. SERRANO stated inasmuch as he did not converse with his daughter, SANDRA, during any of the telephone calls, he could not state what the exact conversation was during these calls. He advised that his wife talked with SANDRA on the occasion of each call and she would be able to advise as to the extent and topic of the conversations during the calls.

Mr. SERRANO stated his daughter, SANDRA, is a very fine young lady who does not drink or smoke and has very high morals and character. He stated she is a very level-headed young lady who is both emotionally and mentally mature. He stated she graduated from Admiral King High School in Lorain in June, 1966, maintaining a "C Plus" average and majored in Business Administration. In September, 1966, she entered the Lorain County Community College, Elyria, Ohio, to study to be a Medical Technician but she did not like this course and voluntarily withdrew after one semester. In either January or February, 1967, she went to live with her aunt, CECELIA MAGDALENO, 2212 North Marengo Avenue, Altadena, California, and for the past year has been employed at United Insurance Company of America, 727 West Seventh Street, Los Angeles, California.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SAC, CLEVELAND (175-16) (P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Cleveland teletype to Los Angeles, 6/8/68.

Enclosed herewith are nine (9) copies each of FD-302 setting forth results of interviews with MANUEL M. and AMPARO SERRANO at Lorain, Ohio.

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- 2 - Cleveland

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (56-156)

FROM : SA RICHARD J. STILLING

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/14/68

At 5:06 A.M., 6/14/68, ^{Bureau} Supervisor JOE TRIMBACK requested that he be immediately furnished the two corrections he requested, by this morning. If the corrections were sent by teletype he advised that it will not be necessary to call him.

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Bureau advised
9:50 AM 6/14/68
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA PAUL CHAMBERLAIN, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/12/68, DANIEL E. HALL, 1300 $\frac{1}{2}$ East Palmer Glendale, Area Director, Republican State Central Committee, Los Angeles, 1326 West 6th Street, was interviewed by writer in connection with captioned matter.

Mr. HALL advised that on the evening of 6/4/68, while accompanied by two female Republican Committee Workers from Riverside, during a period of time covering 10:00 through 11:30 p.m., he came in contact with an individual he believes to be connected with the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

HALL disclosed that while sitting in a lounge near the Rafferty Room with the aforementioned females, a white male, approximately 5'8", having brown medium-length hair and wearing a bulky dark sport coat and slacks, came up to their table and requested to join them. HALL advised that one of the females indicated that he might sit down and HALL stated that a bizarre conversation followed.

HALL advised that this individual, who spoke with extremely strange vocabulary but not with an accent, indicated in different sentences that he was for KENNEDY and against RAFFERTY and then immediately thereafter for RAFFERTY and against KENNEDY. HALL stated that he also advised that he was a Bel Air resident, a student at San Fernando Valley State College, a student at Santa Monica City College, and later not a student at all. HALL advised that the individual in question was carrying a plastic zipper type briefcase containing a bulge which he, HALL, positively believes to have been a gun. HALL stated that he believes this bulge to have been a gun in that he formerly carried a similar briefcase in which he had a .22 caliber revolver, which made a very similar bulge, WHEN HE WAS AN INSURANCE ADJUSTER.

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HALL advised that during this conversation the individual in question indicated that "I have something here that is going to make big news tonight, big news, big news". HALL advised that one of the females attempted to touch this briefcase, at which time the individual pulled it away from her reach.

HALL advised that sometime around midnight, he and the two females were sitting in a nearby restaurant, Michael's on Los Feliz Boulevard, when the news that Senator KENNEDY had been shot was flashed on the television. HALL stated that he and the two females immediately remembered the individual with the briefcase and rushed back to the Ambassador Hotel, at which time they told their story to three different police officers and several prominent RAFFERTY for Senate Committeemen.

HALL advised that he has never been recontacted by the police department as promised and he identified the two females who accompanied him as KAREN MC SPADDEN, 3009 Elgin Drive, Riverside, telephone 714-686-1540, and DALE DURETTE, 2273 Oakcrest, Riverside, home telephone 714-682-6073, business telephone 714-683-4710.

FD 302's to follow.

LEAD

LOS ANGELES

AT RIVERSIDE, CALIFORNIA: Will interview KAREN MC SPADDEN and DALE DURETTE for any information concerning the above mentioned individual.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA JAMES CAGNASSOLA, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/13/68, GEORGE STONER, Chief of Investigations, Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office, furnished the reporter's transcript of the Grand Jury proceedings, Friday, 6/7/68, Case No. A233421, entitled "The People of the State of California, Plaintiff, vs. Sirhan Bishara Sirhan, Defendant".

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(3) *gnt*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA IRVIN B. WELLS, III

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/15/68

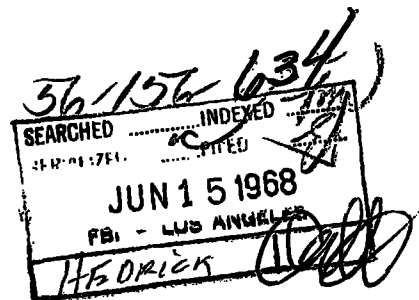
Re Indianapolis teletype to Los Angeles, dated 6/15/68.

JUDY MARIE ROYER, Secretary to former Governor PAT BROWN advised this date that ~~ROF RINGER~~ resides at 19158 Pacific Coast Highway, Malibu, California. She furnished his home phone number as 456-2485, and noted that RINGER was interviewed by the LAPD at the same time she was. (ROYER has been interviewed re KENSALT by writer).

LEAD

Interview RINGER re information set forth in referenced communication.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
ATTN: SA THOMAS L. DONOVAN

DATE: 6/15/68

FROM : SA JOSEPH L. JORDAN, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

~~RE INTERVIEW OF MEMBERS OF
OFFICIAL KENNEDY PARTY~~

~~JIM DUNN~~

Re memorandum of SA THOMAS L. DONOVAN dated 6/13/68.

On this date it was determined that 6713 Atoll Avenue, North Hollywood, California, was rented to family named J. TURITZ. TURITZ was contacted telephonically and advised that DUNN moved to Sacramento about one year ago where he got a job in the KENNEDY Campaign and travelled extensively with the KENNEDY party.

Postmaster, United States Post Office, North Hollywood, California, advised that they have a change of address showing JIM DUNN formerly of 6713 Atoll, changed address on July 21, 1967 to 900 Todd Hunter No. 55, Bryte, California 95605.

Teletype sent to Sacramento to cover interview of JIM DUNN.

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(1) *nmb*

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/15/68

FROM : SA CHARLES M. PAGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re tel WFO 6/14/68, in re requested interview of SAMIRA J. HADDAD, 1232 $\frac{1}{2}$ Mc Clellen Drive, Los Angeles.

On 6/15/68, Miss HADDAD was contacted at her residence and advised that she had contemplated traveling to the United Arab Republic on or about 6/25/68 via a charter flight. These plans were only tentative and she has now abandoned plans to travel abroad.

Miss HADDAD advised ^{she} that she is a native born American citizen wof Lebanese derivation and that she does not know, nor does she have information of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, other than that information which was obtained by her from the newspapers concerning the KENNEDY assault and assassination. She stated that she was not at the Ambassador Hotel on the night that Senator KENNEDY was mortally wounded and that she did not have a polkadot dress in her wardrobe. She said she deplored this violence and was a supporter of another Democratic candidate. She informed that she has a slight acquaintance among people of Arabic origins and noted that she is not of Jordanian or Palestinian derivation, but specifically of Lebanese derivation. She emphasized this point and pointed out that it was her understanding that SIRHAN is a Palestinian national.

She advised she could furnish no information re the KENNEDY assassination and she would be available for recontact at any time by the FBI.

A description of HADDAD was obtained during interview and follows:

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Name	SAMIRA J. HADDAD
Age	27
Born	4/20/41
	at Willimantic, Connecticut
Residence	1232 $\frac{1}{2}$ Mc Clellen Drive
	Los Angeles, California
Telephone No.	479-7874
Height	5'6"
Weight	120 pounds
Hair	Black
Eyes	Dark brown
Complexion	Olive
Occupation	Teacher, Willowbrook Elementary School, Los Angeles.
MARITAL STATUS	SINGLE

Puerto Rico
June 6, 1968

Mr.
Edgard Hoover
FBI Director:

Dear Sir:

In regard with Kennedys cases, would you investigate what about Trujillo money in this criminal actions. I suppose the oldest son of the slain dominican dictator has some reason, or maybe so, for take a vengueance.

It is probably he met to Jack Ruby in Dallas, near Forth Worth (or any other place near there where he was). In the last happening where Bob Kennedy los his life is possible he looked for an fanatic arabian. Trujillo's son Rafael L. Trujillo, said to be an admirer of Nasser, besides he said not to be a friend of Northamerican people or his government.

Very Truly your

Frank Cruz
Frank Cruz

I am a dominican citizenship
I will keep copy off this letter.

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Date: **June 13, 1968**Transmit the following in _____
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(Priority)To: SAC, Los Angeles ²

From: Director, FBI

KENSALT

Enclosed herewith for Los Angeles is a Xerox copy of a letter received by the Bureau dated June 6, 1968, at Puerto Rico and signed Frank Cruz.

This is furnished for your information and completion of your files.

Enclosure

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA JOHN C. O'NEILL

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re FD-71 of SA JOHNIE L. JOYCE, JR., 6/10/68.

JAMES JACKSON was contacted at his place of employment, Reliance Training Corporation, 17445 Railroad Avenue, City of Industry, California. (965-1595)

JACKSON stated that his wife SHERILL JACKSON has a girl friend who told her that either Monday or Tuesday before the murder of KENNEDY she went into a Rexall Drug Store located in downtown Los Angeles, California to make a telephone call. While in the booth she heard a man make a telephone call and he stated to someone on the other end of the line, "I didn't make contact with my psychiatrist, but I plan to follow through with my part". This woman then stated that after the murder of KENNEDY she saw a picture of the subject SIRHAN, and she believes he is identical with the man in the phone booth. copy

JACKSON was asked the identity of this woman, however he stated that he would have to call his wife. He then talked to his wife in the presence of the agent, however she would not talk to the agent, and she asked her husband to keep the identity of her friend a secret. JACKSON indicated that his wife was upset that he called FBI.

JACKSON, who is warehouse supervisor at the above mentioned company, stated that he will contact SHIRLEY (LNU), who gave his wife this information, and endeavor to get the full and complete story, or to have her call on Saturday, 6/15/68, so that she can relate the full story to an agent. JACKSON stated he didn't know her complete story.

JACKSON stated that he can be contacted at telephone # 758-9832, and that he resides at 1054 West 51st Place, Los Angeles.

LEAD

SATURDAY SUPERVISOR

Will have agent recontact JACKSON in the event that SHIRLEY (LNU) doesn't call office.

Attempts to Contact

Employment - 7/9 - on vacation

Residence - 7/9, 10, 11, 12

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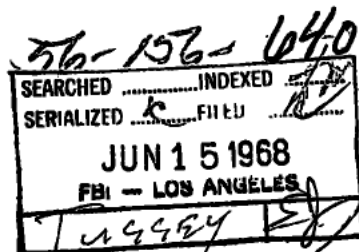
Subject's name and aliases RE KENSALT			Address of subject		Character of case	
Complainant Anon.			Complainant's address and telephone number		Complaint received ☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date <u>6/15/68</u> Time <u>10:30AM</u>	
Subject's Description	Race	Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace
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Facts of complaint

The complainant, a female, advised that her son attends Agoura High School, Agoura, California. She advised that the music teacher at Agoura High has told his class that his, the teachers, wife was a close friend of SIRHAN at one time. She advised that the ~~MMMMMM~~ teachers name is LEVANSKY (phon.), and that he is the only music teacher at Agoura High.

*Identified as Mrs Margaret E Lofeski
nee Stice*

Interview 6/20/68 + FD-302 prepared



Action Recommended

SA RICHARD WHALEN

(Agent)

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA ALBERT N. CARLBLOM

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/7/68, EDWARD D. WARREN, President, Watts Chapter, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), 10201 $\frac{1}{2}$ South Compton Avenue, Los Angeles, California, advised that he had received two communications in the mail on 6/5/68, and they are described as follows:

Communication No. 1

Envelope bears postmark of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, May 31, 1968, and the hand-printed notation "AIR MAIL". It bears the typewritten address of "Director, NAACP, Watts Section, Los Angeles, California." The note that was found therein was printed in yellow and is quoted as follows:

"KINDLY SEE THAT YOUR PEOPLE KEEP
A RESPECTFUL DISTANCE FROM
SENATOR KENNEDY."

Communication No. 2

Envelope bears postmark of Bellevue, Pennsylvania, June 3, 1968, and the hand-printed notation "AIR MAIL". It bears the typewritten address of "NAACP, Watts Section, Los Angeles, California." The note sent in this envelope was typewritten and is quoted as follows:

"kennedy as an attorney general did
nothing for you.

kennedy as a senator did nothing for you;

as president, what would he do for you?

the same thing - NOTHING."

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WARREN advised that he had no information as to the identity of the person, or persons, sending these letters; that if he received information of pertinence, he would inform the FBI. He advised that he knew of no other letters of this type. He said that he is President of the Watts Branch and that the organization in Watts is the "Watts Branch" and not identified as "Watts Section".

WARREN advised that possibly the sender (or senders) of the letters had in mind the fact that ROY WILKINS is Executive Director of the national NAACP organization. WILKINS' headquarters are in New York City.

WARREN advised that the Watts Branch is one of the four branches in Los Angeles; that it receives mail at its address on Compton Avenue and also through Post Office Box 72112 in Watts. The Watts Branch has existed for two years.

WARREN advised that numerous persons had handled these communications.

In view of the fact that the letters received are from an unknown individual and that they are nonspecific in content, it is recommended that no further investigation be conducted concerning the letters.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/15/68

FROM : SA WILLIAM R. WHITLEY

SUBJECT: KENSALT

This is to record that the writer telephonically advised SA CHARLES NUZUM, night supervisor, Division 6, SOG, that the package being forwarded to SOG would leave Los Angeles on TWA Flt. 62 at 10:50 PM and would arrive at Friendship Airport at 6:20 AM. The package would be in the custody of the "A Hostess" as obtained from JOE ROUGEAU, TWA official.

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Airtel

To: SAC, WFO

From: Director, FBI (62-587)

KENSALT

On 6/12/68 the following information was received through Bureau Liaison from Mr. Floyd M. Baring a retired Secret Service Agent who has been employed by the Kennedy for President Committee.

Emma Christopher, who was a volunteer worker at the Kennedy Campaign Headquarters in Washington for a time, has reported that she knew one Suleman A. Khattab, an Arab, who worked as a volunteer for a few days at Kennedy Headquarters. She has indicated this individual "acted suspicious" during the time he was there. Baring said she had mentioned this to her present employer, Robert Wald, a Washington attorney, who in turn informed the Kennedy Headquarters officials.

Baring stated their records on Khattab indicate he was a language instructor at the Institute of Modern Language, 1616 Connecticut Avenue, Northwest, with an additional address of 2020 F Street, Northwest, telephone number 659-1646. Baring stated Miss Christopher can be reached at telephone number 363-3013. He did not have an address for her and stated he has no further information on this matter.

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✓ To: SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

✓ From: Director, FBI

KENSALT

ReLAairtel 6-7-68, transmitting photos of Sirhan Sirhan to
Bureau and Butelcall to Los Angeles 6-13-68.

Los Angeles immediately disseminate copies of Sirhan Sirhan's
photo to all field offices. Bureau will disseminate to Legats.

This confirms reButelcall.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/15/68

FROM : SA STANLEY W. MILLER

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memo of SA FREDERICK E. BECKER dated 6/13/68.

It is noted in this memo are listed persons who were in attendance at the May 28, 1968 meeting of Ancient Mystic Order of the Rosicrucian. Included in this list are DELORES ABANG, 405 East Howard, Pasadena, California, and EMOGENE ACOB, 2090 North Raymond, Altadena, California.

EILENE SKIPWORTH, Secretary of this organization, has advised that LUANA ACOB, daughter of EMOGENE ACOB and DELORES ABANG, daughter of the DELORES ABANG listed in re memo would also have been at the meeting as "Colombes." Part of the duties of a Colombe is to escort any guest at a meeting to familiarize them with the other people, in attendance there at the meeting room, and because of this, these two girls probably met the guest at the meeting on May 28, who may be identical to SIRHAN SIRHAN.

LEADS

If not all ready done, will interview LUANA ACOB, and DELORES ABANG.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/16/68

FROM : SA JAMES E. ROSS

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Instant date an individual identifying himself as TOMMY SAWYER, 727 S. Santa Fe Ave., Compton, California, telephonically advised that an acquaintance named FRANK HOLT was waiting at the "other door" of the Ambassador Hotel to shoot KENNEDY on the night he was shot.

SAWYER advised that HOLT carries a .45 caliber pistol and he is a white male, 182 pounds, 6'3", sandy hair and driving a red Plymouth. He frequents the Sandman Bar on Long Beach Blvd off Compton, John's Bar, the Rumpus Room, and Clem's. His wife, EVELYN HOLT, from whom he is separated, resides at 516 S. Santa Fe Street, Compton.

SAWYER could not furnish HOLT's address or any additional information which might assist in his location.

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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re New York airtel to the Bureau dated 6/7/68.

For the information of Los Angeles, on 6/5/68, the Bureau advised that Senator ROBERT KENNEDY had received a number of threatening letters in the past and had not reported these threats. One of these letters, in Spanish, dated 11/15/67, from LUZETA CORDOVA, 260 East 23rd Street, Brooklyn, New York, care of Mrs. A. WATSON, was in substance as follows:

She thanked KENNEDY for an earlier letter that KENNEDY had written to her. (The referenced letter is not available and contents are unknown). She spoke of an organization referred to as La Orden Rosa Cruz, Order of the Red Cross, San Jose, California and advised that this group planned to kill off the whole KENNEDY family. CORDOVA suggested that everyone in this organization be interrogated and jailed except Mrs. ADELINA GRAHAM and a Mr. CLAYSEN.

She suggested that KENNEDY write to Silent Unity, Lee's Summit, Mississippi, an organization that helps the world through prayer.

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At Post B. Bot Harrington called Sam Shannon re this airtel and copy sent 6/16/68

Indef Cordova

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Mrs. ALICIA A. WATSON, 270 East 23rd Street, Brooklyn, New York, was contacted numerous times by the NYO and stated that she knew CORDOVA but did not know her current whereabouts. On 6/12/68, Mrs. WATSON advised that CORDOVA was residing at 522 Vine Street, San Jose, California, according to a letter received by WATSON from CORDOVA postmarked 5/28/68.

Mrs. WATSON stated that she has known CORDOVA for a number of years and believes that she is originally from Ecuador. She described Mrs. CORDOVA as about 50 years of age, light brown hair, 5'5", 150 pounds. She stated that as far as she knows, CORDOVA is a nurse, but knows little else regarding her background.

LEAD:

LOS ANGELES

AT SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA: Will contact CORDOVA at above-mentioned address.

6/13/68

AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, DETROIT (62-4177)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Birmingham teletype to Director, 6/12/68.

TONY VOLPE, 25135 Newton, Dearborn, Mich.,
advised 6/13/68 that his wife and Mrs. JUANITA
MC LAUGHLIN took extra 12 day tour to Spain and Portugal
and will not return until evening of 6/18/68.

LEAD

DETROIT

AT DETROIT, MICHIGAN

Will interview Mrs. VOLPE and Mrs. MC LAUGHLIN
on 6/19/68.

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Foreign Broadcast

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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)
FROM: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (56-102) (P)
RE: KENSALT

Re Birmingham teletype to Bureau dated 6/12/68.

BILLIE JOSEPH, 704 Rio Grande, Austin, Texas, advised 6/13/68 that ALICE PEEL, who is the owner of Business Services, 704 Rio Grande, Austin, is presently in Europe and is not scheduled to return to Austin, Texas, until 7/3/68.

LEAD

SAN ANTONIO

AT AUSTIN, TEXAS: Will interview ALICE PEEL upon her return 7/3/68.

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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

FROM: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (56-102)

RE: KENSALT

On 6/13/68, NORMAN JOSEPH KENNEDY, JR., ASN RA currently assigned to Co. C, 2nd Bn., Medical Training Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, furnished the following information:

In February 1968 while he was in AWOL status, KENNEDY met an individual known as "JIMMY" who he believes is identical to the individual Los Angeles, Calif., authorities are holding for the murder of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

While confined to the stockade at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., as a result of a conviction by court-martial for insubordination, KENNEDY became acquainted with one LEE MOORE. He described MOORE as a Negro male, about 22 years of age, 6'1", 160 lbs., who was also confined to the stockade as a result of two counts of AWOL and two previous escapes from MP's. MOORE was formerly assigned in Vietnam and had been stationed at Fort Leonard Wood with the SPD. MOORE advised KENNEDY that he had contacts in California who would help KENNEDY if KENNEDY went AWOL. MOORE identified his contact in California as "MORRIS" and wrote the address and telephone number on a piece of paper which KENNEDY still has. The address is shown as 1822 W. 4th St., telephone #484-1466. MOORE told KENNEDY that "MORRIS" had helped AWOLs in the past and had a source for phony identification papers.

On 2/11/68, KENNEDY Left Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., in an AWOL status. He purchased a bus ticket at Waynesville, Mo., to Kansas City, Kansas. After he got to Kansas City, he

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spent the first night at the Chase Hotel. He hitchhiked from Kansas City to Los Angeles, California, arriving at the Greyhound Bus Station about 12:30 p.m. on 2/16/68. En route to Los Angeles, KENNEDY spent the second night in the jail at Wichita, Kansas; the third night at an unrecalled hotel in El Reno, Okla., and the fourth night he rode all night. On the fifth night he stayed at a truck stop located on Highway 66 near Flagstaff, Arizona.

After he arrived at the Greyhound Bus Station in Los Angeles, he was standing around deciding what to do next when he was approached by an individual who asked where KENNEDY was going. He told this individual he was looking for an address on West 4th St. and showed this individual the piece of paper bearing the Los Angeles address and phone number furnished him by MOORE. This individual then told KENNEDY he knew where this address was and he knew the person that lived there. This individual identified himself as "FRANK," last name unrecalled. He is described as a white male, 5'2", 240 lbs., brown-gray hair, 48-50 years. FRANK told KENNEDY that they should go to his place first and then call "MORRIS." KENNEDY and FRANK went to FRANK's address which KENNEDY described as an apartment located about 15 minutes from the bus station in a split level house which would be the second story from the front but the first story from the back. KENNEDY explained that the house was built into the side of a hill and was believed to be in a northeast direction from the station. KENNEDY described FRANK's car as an old model 1956 Chevrolet sedan with California license.

After arriving at FRANK's apartment, FRANK made a telephone call to "MORRIS" but "MORRIS" was busy that day and could not meet with FRANK and KENNEDY. KENNEDY did not notice the number FRANK called but he noted that the phone number was written in the back of FRANK's telephone book. KENNEDY stayed at FRANK's apartment that night and the next day FRANK called "MORRIS" again. This time "MORRIS" said he was busy and would not be able to see them and for them to call later. FRANK called "MORRIS" that afternoon and "MORRIS" told them he would see them. FRANK then drove KENNEDY over to the MORRIS apartment about 2:00 p.m. KENNEDY identified this address as the same one on the piece of paper given him by MOORE, 1822 W. 4th St. When KENNEDY and FRANK arrived at the MORRIS apartment, it was noted that "MORRIS" had two guests so KENNEDY and FRANK had to wait about 45 minutes. KENNEDY

described one guest as a white female, 24 years of age, dyed blonde hair, 5'6" or 7", medium build, who was described as an opera singer. This individual was sitting at the piano at MORRIS' apartment, playing and singing. The other guest who KENNEDY identified as "FRENCHY" was described as a white male, 24 years, black hair, 5'11", 145 lbs., and lives in an apartment cater-corner from Echo Park.

MORRIS told these guests that he had business to take care of and the guests and FRANK then left the MORRIS apartment. KENNEDY sat at the table with MORRIS and MORRIS asked him why he went AWOL. KENNEDY had been told before by FRANK that MORRIS was opposed to the war in Vietnam and the U.S. Government. KENNEDY told MORRIS that he did not believe in the Vietnam war and that he thought it was senseless. MORRIS said he agreed and asked KENNEDY what he wanted to do. KENNEDY told MORRIS that he wanted to stay away as long as he could. MORRIS then told KENNEDY that he could obtain some phony ID papers and obtain employment for KENNEDY and that as long as KENNEDY did not get into trouble with the law he would be safe.

MORRIS has an apartment and two rooms that he rents to other people at the 4th St. address. MORRIS told KENNEDY he could stay at that apartment while he was waiting for his phony ID papers. At this point, KENNEDY decided to become friendly with MORRIS and MORRIS told KENNEDY that most of his time was devoted to the Peace and Freedom Party movement and demonstrations. KENNEDY noted that there were quite a few pamphlets and leaflets in MORRIS' apartment which were all considered anti-Dow Committee and anti-war in Vietnam. KENNEDY helped MORRIS by doing some typing and office work there at the apartment. While KENNEDY was there, MORRIS had various visitors who were representatives of the Communist Party, the "Minutemen," and other unrecalled groups. Most of these meetings involved discussions concerning planned demonstrations by the various groups and whether or not the Peace and Freedom Party would join the demonstrations and just how much support that organization would furnish the other organizations.

During these discussions they frequently referred to the phrase, "this summer when the revolution is going to break out," the details of which were unknown to KENNEDY.

About 2/19/68, there was a meeting held at the Echo Park School. MORRIS talked KENNEDY into going with him. This meeting was about the anti-Dow Committee and those in attendance were members of the various groups who had visited at the MORRIS apartment. At this meeting KENNEDY met SHAWN (ph), a member of the CP. KENNEDY described SHAWN as a white male, age 36, 6'2", 220 lbs., blond hair, and wore a mustache. SHAWN frequently offered new ideas and it appeared that everyone at the meeting looked up to SHAWN for guidance. Also discussed at this meeting was a boycott of the Dow products to be held for a period of one week beginning 4/22/68 to 4/28/68. The reason for the boycott was that Dow produces the napalm bombs which are used in Vietnam.

KENNEDY also attended several other similar meetings at different places which he is unable to identify. Sometimes these meetings were held in homes and other times in offices of one of these groups.

About a week and a half or two weeks after the 2/19/68, meeting, MORRIS asked KENNEDY for an opinion as to whether or not he, KENNEDY, would support a demonstration. About this time MORRIS told KENNEDY that they were going to attend a meeting which KENNEDY would find more interesting than the others. This meeting was held in an apartment near Echo Park School. There were only about 12 people present who included MORRIS, the secretary of the Peace and Freedom Party, SHAWN, two Mexicans that KENNEDY had never met, "JIMMY," the individual KENNEDY believes who is now held by Los Angeles authorities for the murder of Senator KENNEDY, and two or three other men KENNEDY is unable to describe. There was also a white female at this meeting, whose name KENNEDY does not know, who was about 23 years of age, about 5'6", 110 lbs. The discussion at this meeting concerned the revolution that was to come this summer. The people talked about preparations that were to be made, and SHAWN said there were certain people that were going to be taken out of the picture. He mentioned four names, which included MARTIN LUTHER KING, Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY,

their Attorney General for the State of California, name unknown, and a Senator from Missouri, name unknown. Someone asked why these people had to be taken out of the picture and SHAWN replied it was mostly because too many people looked up to these leaders and that their beliefs are different. These individuals were also blamed for their support of the Vietnam war.

The next morning KENNEDY telephoned his mother in Wisconsin and she said she was sick and wanted him to come home. He asked his mother to send him some money and about 3/1/68, she wired him money to come home, c/o Western Union, Los Angeles.

Shortly after KENNEDY had called his mother, MORRIS took him to an area which appeared to have been formerly an upper middle class section but was now rundown and located somewhere between Los Angeles and Orange, Calif. It was a residential district with houses sparsely scattered. They drove to this house in MORRIS' light blue 1963 sedan, make unknown, automobile. After they arrived at the house, KENNEDY accompanied MORRIS to the front door and after MORRIS knocked on the door it was answered by a white male, age 48, dark brown hair, graying, partially bald in the front. This individual recognized MORRIS immediately and MORRIS told him he wanted to show KENNEDY the basement. MORRIS then took KENNEDY to the basement of the house which KENNEDY described as a huge basement containing several rooms. MORRIS opened the door to one of these rooms and he and KENNEDY went inside and there were about 1,000 rifles, as estimated by KENNEDY, some still in their crates and some standing in racks. KENNEDY recognized some of the rifles as being Model M-1 and some being Russian 101. KENNEDY recognized the Russian model from previous pictures he had seen and displays by the Armed Forces and museums. KENNEDY asked MORRIS the purpose of these weapons and MORRIS told him they were for the revolution. MORRIS asked KENNEDY if he recalled RAP BROWN making the statement, "It is time to go to the roofs." MORRIS said this is what BROWN meant. MORRIS volunteered information to KENNEDY that there were 35 places like this in the Los Angeles area and that the entire country is filled with places like this.

KENNEDY and MORRIS then returned to the MORRIS apartment. MORRIS told KENNEDY that "they" needed people like KENNEDY and needed more of them. MORRIS knew that KENNEDY had received money from his mother and that he was leaving to go home. KENNEDY left Los Angeles about 3/1/68, and when he arrived home in Wisconsin he told his mother the above events. KENNEDY stayed home about two or three days and then his mother drove him to Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., where he turned himself in as AWOL on 3/4/68.

KENNEDY stated that in view of what had happened to Senator KENNEDY, he had recognized the photograph of Senator KENNEDY's assassin in the paper and felt the above information should be brought to the attention of the proper authorities. He thereafter recited the above facts to the chaplain, his Sergeant, his Commanding Officer, and the Military Intelligence at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

KENNEDY stated the only time he met "JIMMY" was at the meeting described above. He described "JIMMY" as follows: white male, dark complexion, brown and very long hair, 5'10-11", 150 lbs., dressed in dark green shirt, brown pants, wide black belt and black boots. He gained the impression at the above meeting that "JIMMY" had come to the meeting with the two Mexicans and he could furnish no more details about "JIMMY."

KENNEDY advised that he would recognize these people if he ever saw them again and throughout the interview maintained the above information was the truth.

The following background and descriptive information was obtained during the interview and from observation:

Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Born:	4/8/50, Marshfield, Wisconsin
Height:	5'5"
Weight:	158 lbs.
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Gray

Occupation:

Enlisted U.S. Army
11/9/67. at Moline, Ill.;
currently assigned Medical
Training Center, Fort
Sam Houston, Texas

Education:

10th grade, Moline, Ill.

Relatives:

Stepfather:

LESTER ROGGENBAUER
Route 2, Lot 58
Airview Mobil Park
Milan, Ill.

Mother:

AILENE ROGGENBAUER
same address

Brothers:

[REDACTED], age 17
same address

[REDACTED], age 14
same address

[REDACTED], age 13
same address

[REDACTED], age 9
same address

[REDACTED] JR., age 3
same address

Employments:

By stepfather who owned
the Reeseburg Cheese
Factory, Thorpe, Wisconsin

Previously Employed:

Dale's Deep Rock Service
Station, Moline, Ill.

Addresses:

AIRVIEW Mobile Park
Milan, Ill. - 1968

Route 2
Thorpe, Wisconsin - 1962-67

Rural Route
Waususki, Wisconsin - 1962

SA 56-102

Rural Route
Quine, Wisconsin - 1961

Rural Route
Riceville, Iowa - 1960-61

Columbus, Wisconsin 1959-60

Stanley, Wisconsin - 1955-59

314 W. 3rd St.
Marshfield, Wisconsin -1950-55

Previous Arrests:

None; received two special
courts-martial for insub-
ordination and for AWOL

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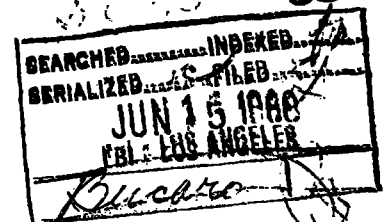
AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. 1. Will ascertain
if "JIMMY" referred to in details is identical to SIRHAN
BISHARA SIRHAN.

2. Attempt to identify house between Los Angeles
and Orange, Calif., where guns may have been stored in the
basement.

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BRAULIO BAEZA was interviewed at his residence, 91 Washington Avenue, Garden City, New York. BAEZA stated he did not know SIRHAN SIRHAN and he had no idea why SIRHAN would have his (BAEZA's) name written down. BAEZA stated he rides stakes races occasionally in California but has no recollection of ever seeing SIRHAN SIRHAN. BAEZA also stated he saw pictures of SIRHAN SIRHAN in the newspaper but could not place him as a person he had ever seen anywhere. BAEZA could furnish no additional information.



On 6/12/68 at Garden City, N.Y. File # NY 44-1640

by SA FRANCIS R. JULES:jrf

6/13/68

by _____ Date dictated _____

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Date: 6/13/68

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(Priority)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: LOS ANGELES)

6/7/68. Re Los Angeles teletype to New York dated

Enclosed for Los Angeles are 9 copies of an
FD 302 containing the results of an interview with BRAULIO
BAEZA.

2- Los Angeles (Encls. 9)
1- New York

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Approved: JFM

Special Agent in Charge

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/16/68

FROM : SA WILLIE R. WHITE

ATTN: SA GEORGE M. KLING

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Mr. EVERETT BUCKNER, SR., 129 East Bennett, Glendora, California, telephone number 963-5583, telephonically furnished the following information at 3:30 p.m., 6/16/68:

He was previously interviewed by SA GEORGE M. KLING about a week ago regarding the KENNEDY shooting. Mr. BUCKNER was Range Officer for the San Gabriel Gun Club, however, he was fired today. He was fired because his boss, LLOYD (LNU), became so upset about BUCKNER talking to Los Angeles Police Department and the FBI about SIRHAN.

BUCKNER stated that he had not furnished full information regarding SIRHAN previously to interviewing officers because his boss had not desired that he talk about this matter.

BUCKNER stated that he would like to talk to SA KLING again and furnish full information. BUCKNER noted that officers of the Los Angeles Police Department have an appointment scheduled with him for between 9:00 and 9:30 a.m., 6/17/68, but that he would like to talk to FBI Agents also in person.

SA WILLIAM JOHN NOLAN was advised of the above information and stated that Los Angeles Police Department Officers should talk to BUCKNER prior to any recontact by FBI.

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AT GLENDORA, CALIFORNIA. Recontact EVERETT BUCKNER (check with Los Angeles Police Department Officers prior to recontact with BUCKNER). Advise Los Angeles Police Department that BUCKNER called the office relative to a reinterview. Advise SA NOLAN in the event any problem relative to this matter.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/15/68

FROM : SA JAMES A. WORRELL

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Dr. EDWARD MARSHAL, Wadsworth Hospital, Veterans Administration (VA), advised on 6/15/68, that on 6/12/68, he treated a woman for nerves who fit the description of the girl in the polka dot dress. He did not know her name.

On 6/14/68, Dr. ABRAHAM SHEDLOR, Wadsworth Hospital, VA, advised that the medical admitting records indicated the girl described by Dr. MARSHAL was named CAROL FRANDEN.

Dr. MARSHAL also indicated that the girl was employed at the Wadsworth Hospital in the Dietary Kitchen and was a Government employee.

MAX GOOD, Medical Administrative Officer of the Day, Wadsworth Hospital, advised the personnel records were kept locked and would be available during normal hours on 6/17/68.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will examine personnel record of CAROL FRANDEN, at Building 218, VA Center, Sawtelle Boulevard, for background information necessary to make or eliminate her as the girl in the polka dot dress.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)

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Re: San Francisco Express Times

Re Newark tel to Bureau, 6/5/68, and Atlanta airtel to Bureau, 6/6/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau and LA are two copies each of portion of captioned newspaper and the article on Page 3 regarding Sen. ROBERT. F. KENNEDY's appearance in San Francisco.

The author of the article and editor of the paper is MARVIN GARSON, BUFILE 100-437794, SF File 100-47870. ~~It will be noted~~ GARSON is currently on SI. For this reason, UACB, GARSON not being interviewed at this time concerning article.

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FROM : SA FRANCIS M. MULLEN, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/13/68

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A review of this film indicated it consisted of the activity immediately after the shooting of Senator KENNEDY and shows three of the shooting victims being placed in ambulances for transportation to Central Receiving Hospital.

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On 6/14/68 above film was given to Lt M.S. PANA. LAPD. LAPD will run to determine if of value to copy or obtain stills. Film will be returned to FBI.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SA ROBERT F. PICKARD

SUBJECT: KENSALT

The following list of individuals represent employees of the Ambassador Hotel, who were not able to be contacted at the hotel.

~~SALVADOR ACEVEDO~~
~~421 Constance~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~(Steward)~~

MOARRISON

~~ALEXANDER ACOSTA~~
~~3080 San Marin Street~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~(Room Service)~~

MOARRISON

~~LARRY BOOKER~~
~~712 1/2 East Vernon~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~phone 232-4609~~
~~Social Security No.~~

MOARRISON

~~(Maintenance laborer)~~

~~MARCOS HERNANDEZ~~
~~4217 East Palsom Street~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~(Banquet houseman)~~

O'NEIL

~~JOSEPH JONES~~
~~2112 South Arlington~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~(Banquet)~~

O'NEIL

~~ALMA MC FARLAND~~
~~10508 South Hoover~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~phone 779-5351~~
~~(Maid - housekeeper)~~

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~~FRANK MEJIA~~
~~5013 Crosswood~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~Social Security No.~~

(Banquet houseman)

~~HECTOR MOLINA~~
~~1052 Victoria Avenue~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~phone 938-9330~~
~~(Bartender)~~

~~LOUIS MOONEY~~
~~3052 Nevada~~
~~El Monte, California~~
~~(Spt. Ojr. Grove)~~

~~MARIO MUNOZ~~
~~905 1/2 Catalina~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~(Banquet houseman)~~

~~JUAN OCHOA~~
~~826 Fedora~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~(Dishwasher)~~

~~ROSENDO SOTO~~
~~1420 Bonnie Brae~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~(Banquet houseman)~~

~~PABLO VALDIVIA~~
~~1306 Angelina~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
~~(Dishwasher)~~

~~DANIEL GAMBERONI~~
~~22397 Enidia Way~~
~~Canoga Park, California~~
~~telephone 887-0954~~
~~(Cook)~~

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~~EVELYN SMITH~~
~~2023 South Normandie~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
phone 731-3978
(Housekeeping)

Schwartz

~~DARLENE MINOR~~
~~no address~~
phone 254-4972
(Coffee Shop Waitress)

Schwartz

~~ESTRADA ELIAS DURON or DURAN~~
~~10746 Telfair Avenue~~
~~Pacoima, California~~
telephone 989-5600
(C. S. busboy)

Whitley

~~WALTER JOACHIM~~
~~903 1/2 South Berendo~~
~~Los Angeles, California~~
telephone 383-0752
(Chef Department)

Whitley

~~DEG MACKINGA,~~
~~22109 Albert Avenue~~
~~Torrance, California~~
telephone 370-7081
(can be reached during day at DU 5-5271, ext.7)
(Cashier)

Whitley

LEAD

It is suggested that the above individuals be contacted and interviewed at their residence.

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DATE: 6-14-68

SUBJECT: KENSALT

RE serial 393.

On 6-14-68 CHARLES ZOEDLER, Manager of DESI ARNES BREEDING FARMS 1158 Rincon, Corona, California advised that he did not know SIRHAN SIRHAN. He said that he might have seen him when he, SIRHAN, was working for the Granja Vista Del Rio Farms, 13200 Cibus, but he does not recall him. He explained that the Arnes farms raises horses but they do not do any training and send the hrses for training to Granja. He ~~said~~ said that he does not believe that DESI ARNES will recall SIRHAN and does not believe that he has ever even seen him as he believes that it has been at least three years since DESI has been to Granja Vista. LWS
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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)(P)

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SA GEORGE E. AIKEN, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

OO: Los Angeles

Re FD-71, dated 6/9/68 at Los Angeles

The following investigation was conducted by SA GEORGE E. AIKEN, JR. on 6/14/68 in Long Beach, California:

Mr. LEONARD A. SMITH, 5788, Chestnut Avenue was interviewed at his place of residence, at which time he advised that he had received a letter from his son, PHILLIP SMITH a member of the Peace Corps, stationed in Modadiscio, Somolia Republic, Africa, dated 5/30/68.

Mr. Smith stated that his son's letter was postmarked 6/2/68, Modadiscio, prior to the death or the assault of ROBERT F. KENNEDY. Mr. Smith furnished the letter to the interviewer, which read in part as follows:

"Now I hear that the RFK assination was a sham- Some Somalis made it up or something- but the problems are still the same anyway".

Mr. SMITH stated that he was of the opinion that possibly there was a rumor in effect in Africa that RFK had been assassinated prior to the assault of this individual in Los Angeles 6/5/68.

The letter made no reference to the KENNEDY assination other than that above.

Mr. SMITH furnished the following physical description of PHILLIP SMITH:

Race:	White
Sex:	Male
DOB:	1/8/44
POB:	Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
Weight:	145 lbs.
Education:	B.S. Political Science, Long Beach State, Long Beach, California.

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Eyes: Hazel
Employment: Peace Corps, presently stationed
Modadiscio, Somolia Republic,
Africa

Mr. SMITH stated that he wished to make the above information available to the FBI for whatever reason that the Bureau might make of it.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SA JAMES A. MILLS

SUBJECT: KENSALT

~~Dr. T. J. TOMA~~, 7929 Irwingrove Drive, Downey, California, was interviewed and advised that SIRHAN SIRHAN attended the Syrian Orthodox Church, about five years ago, which church is attended by TOMA. He stated this church is located at Third Street and Alvarado Street and the pastor is Father PAUL ROMLEY.

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Will contact Father ~~PAUL ROMLEY~~ to determine if he recalls SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN attending that church, and if so verify his membership and any information available concerning his background, etc.

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Mr. JESSE M. UNRUH, Speaker of the California State Assembly, home address 8315 Byrd Avenue, Inglewood, California, furnished the following information:

On June 4, 1968, he was on the fifth floor of the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles, California, along with members of his staff and Senator KENNEDY and his staff, awaiting the results of the California Presidential Primary. People in the room off the main lobby who were awaiting the arrival of Senator KENNEDY began to get restless and it was suggested that he (UNRUH) go down to speak to them.

At about 11:30 p.m. he went down and spoke to the group. At approximately 11:45 p.m. he felt there were sufficient returns for Senator KENNEDY to claim victory and sent his assistant, Mr. JACK C. CROSE, to get the Senator and his party.

The Senator came down to the hall and addressed the group congregated there for about eight minutes or so and then started to walk away. He proceeded to his right, towards a table where PIERRE SALINGER and DICKKLINE were seated. He was propelled, by someone whom he could not see, towards the back of the stage. The stage was so jammed he (UNRUH) decided to go down the stairs from the stage and go to the hallway by the door located at the foot of the stage in the room. When he stepped out into the hallway Senator KENNEDY had already passed that area and was about ten paces ahead of him. He then heard two or four pops followed by four or five more. At this point he did not realize these were pistol

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shots and thought they might be balloons. All at once the crowd parted in front of him as he continued to walk forward. He then observed PAUL SCHRADE lying on the floor with an obvious bullet wound in his head and immediately noticed Senator KENNEDY lying on the floor ahead of SCHRADE. Senator KENNEDY brought his hand down from his head and appeared to clutch at his stomach, hence he believed the Senator had been shot there. Someone had already gotten to the Senator and had undone his shirt.

Inasmuch as the crowd was pressing in, his first thoughts were to make room for the Senator and prevent his being trampled on. He then attempted to push newsmen, photographers, and other people in the area away. Noticing a photographer on top of a table where ROOSEVELT GRIER had pinned SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, he pulled him off the table and into the corridor. At this point it was the first time he had seen SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and at no time did he ever observe SIRHAN holding the gun.

Recalling the fate that had befallen LEE HARVEY OSWALD and hearing voices in the crowd yelling to kill SIRHAN he recalls yelling to the group holding SIRHAN to protect him. He could not recall exact words used but remembering the events in Dallas when OSWALD had been shot he did not want to see the same thing happen there. He did recall saying something like, "If the system works at all, we are going to try this one".

When the police arrived he attempted to keep the police all around SIRHAN so as to protect him. He himself grabbed SIRHAN by the scruff of the neck and helped to propel him down the hallway through the lobby and to a police car parked in front of the hotel.

He accompanied the police officers in the car that SIRHAN was in to the Rampart Division. He sat in front with the driver and SIRHAN was in the back seat between two other

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police officers. About the time they entered the car SIRHAN mumbled, "I did it for my country". He could not recall at just what point he (UNRUH) asked the question during the ride, but since SIRHAN looked like a Latin-American he asked SIRHAN, "Why him? Why him? He was trying to do something". SIRHAN muttered, "It's too late, it's too late". He also recalls SIRHAN saying, "I can explain, I can explain". He could not, however, recall the exact sequence of the statements except for the one made as they entered the car.

They arrived at the Rampart Division and SIRHAN was taken into a room there by one of the officers. His sole concern there was that SIRHAN not be in a position to do himself any harm and he was assured by an officer that SIRHAN was still handcuffed and would not be able to do himself any harm. Shortly after their arrival at the Rampart Division he noticed the time was 12:43 a.m.

SIRHAN subsequently was brought out, placed into a police car and taken to the Central Division. He followed in another car behind. Upon arriving SIRHAN was taken to an isolation room and interrogated and that is all he saw of SIRHAN.

He added that he was not aware of any formal plans for Senator KENNEDY to address the press. The only plan he was aware of was that there was to be a victory celebration at the "Factory" a discotheque in Hollywood, California, to which he and his staff had been invited. To his knowledge all plans were made by the Senator's staff.

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Date June 14, 1968

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Mr. JACK C. GROSE, Assistant to JESSE M. UNRUH, Speaker of the Assembly, State of California, home address 6418 Oakridge Way, Sacramento, furnished the following information:

On June 4, 1968, he was with Mr. UNRUH in the suite of rooms on the fifth floor of the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California, along with Senator KENNEDY and his staff, awaiting the results of the California Presidential Primary. People in the ballroom off the lobby were waiting for Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY to come down to address them and were getting restless. Someone suggested that Mr. UNRUH go down to speak to them. He accompanied Mr. UNRUH to the ballroom where Mr. UNRUH addressed the group at approximately 11:30 p.m. At about 11:45 p.m., Mr. UNRUH requested he go to get Senator KENNEDY and his party as it appeared there were sufficient ballots reported in for Senator KENNEDY to claim victory. He proceeded through the hallway and went to the single elevator at the south end of the building and went to the fifth floor; as he exited the elevator he observed the Senator, FRED DUTTON, BILL BARRY, and about ten or fifteen other people coming down the hall. It was suggested they take the larger elevator because of the size of the group. They took this elevator and exited towards the lobby of the hotel. As they emerged from the elevator someone from the group, possibly Mr. FRED DUTTON, or FRANK MANKIEWICZ suggested they go through the lobby corridor and through the crowd in the room to get to the stage, however, Senator KENNEDY decided to avoid the crowd and go to the platform by way of the Colonial Room and the hallway which leads to the stage.

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When they arrived at the stage he found it was jam packed and decided to stay at the foot of the stage. Following the Senator's speech, the Senator proceeded to walk to his right towards a table where PIERRE SALINGER and DICK KLINE were seated, however, someone (unknown to him) but whom he believes was in a tuxedo, pointed him in the direction of the rear of the stage. At this point he himself left the room and went directly back to the fifth floor and was not aware that the Senator had been shot until he heard it on TV. He added that during the evening he made several trips through the kitchen but at no time did he ever see SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN nor had he ever seen SIRHAN before or since, except for photographs appearing in newspapers.

He stated he was not aware of any formal plans for the Senator to address the press or of any prescribed route that the Senator was to take to and from the stage. The only planned affair he was aware of was a victory celebration to take place at the "Factory", a discotheque in Hollywood, California, to which he as a member of Mr. UNRUH's staff, had been invited.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SAC, SACRAMENTO (62-76)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Los Angeles teletype to Sacramento, 6/12/68,
5:28 p.m., requesting interview with JESSE UNRUH.

Enclosed for the Los Angeles Division are nine
(9) copies each of FD 302s regarding interview with JESSE
UNRUH and JACK C. CROSE, his assistant. Both interviews
were conducted in the speaker's office, State Capitol,
Sacramento.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT

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1. COUNTRY: United States 8. REPORT NUMBER: 5-408-0470-68
 2. SUBJECT: FRANKE, Dallas Valdo (Civilian) 9. DATE OF REPORT: 11 June 1968
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 56-156-272 SSN: [REDACTED] 10. NO. OF PAGES: 1
 3. ISC NUMBER: 11. REFERENCES:
 12. ORIGINATOR: NAVINVSERVO SAN DIEGO
 4. DATE OF INFORMATION: 7 June 1968 13. PREPARED BY: A. A. GONTKON
 Intelligence Research Specialist
 5. PLACE AND DATE OF ACQ: Point Mugu, California 14. APPROVING AUTHORITY: E. M. MURPHY
 11 June 1968 Head, SEC Department
 6. EVALUATION: SOURCE B INFORMATION 6
 7. SOURCE: Assistant Security Officer
 Naval Air Station
 Point Mugu, California

15. SUMMARY:

1. On 7 June 1968, Mr. D. MEISNER, Assistant Security Officer, Naval Air Station, Point Mugu, California, advised Acting Senior Resident Agent John V. OLSON, NISRA-Port Hueneme, that Subject who is an engineer, GS-12, Pacific Missile Range, Point Mugu, residence 501 Deodar Street, Oxnard, California, informed him that the woman who was seen leaving the location where Senator Robert KENNEDY was shot is Jean DENYEER. Subject reportedly stated that he is a friend of Jean DENYEER and that she is associated with "underworld persons" who were also involved in the shooting of former President John F. KENNEDY. Subject is also reported to have stated that the "underworld" has been after him for years.

2. On 7 June 1968, Acting Senior Resident Agent OLSON advised a representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation Resident Office, Ventura, California, of the information furnished by Source.

3. Files of NAVINVSERVO San Diego are negative concerning Subject and DENYEER other than mentioned herein.

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ConGen Nice (essential protect) reports following
info possibly pertinent to search for blond mentioned in Kennedy
assassination:

- allegedly
- a) Lina el Miktadi, Lebanese UN guide, address 265 East 63rd st
New York, five feet five, 120 pounds, very blond, born Bagdad, 25yrs old,
violently anti-Jewish, spat on Israeli Ambassador UN after June 67 war,
visited Beirut last fall, contract ended with UN May 28.
 - b) her father was/captured by Israelis one year ago and is in
Tel Aviv prison, member of Al Fatah
 - c) brother/ripped by Jewish underground
 - d) cousin also UN guide
 - e) boss in UN zz was Maurice Liu, chief Public Info Section UN.

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KENSALT

Enclosed are copies of a self-explanatory telegram from the American Embassy, Paris, dated 6/8/68. Since the blonde mentioned in connection with Senator KENNEDY's assassination has now been identified and interviewed, no further inquiry need be made. However, the enclosed information is being furnished to the Bureau and Los Angeles for information purposes and possible future use. A copy of the enclosed telegram has also been furnished to the Paris Office of the Secret Service for their information.

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RE: **KENSALT**

☒ For information ☐ Retention optional ☐ For appropriate action ☐ Surep, by _____

☐ The enclosed is for your information. If used in a future report, ☐ conceal all sources, ☐ paraphrase contents.

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In Reply, Please Refer to
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Boston, Massachusetts 02203

June 14, 1968

**ASSASSINATION OF SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY,
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, JUNE 5, 1968**

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Mrs. Arlene Gagnon, Secretary to William Dunfey, on June 14, 1968 substantiated the foregoing information and stated that the unknown woman caller was apparently a young person with a local accent. She did not give any identifying information about herself or the purpose of her call.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, BOSTON (44-646)
SUBJECT: KENSALT
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WILLIAM DUNFEY, Hampton, N. H., former Democratic Committee Chairman for the State of N. H. and personal friend of Senators ROBERT and EDWARD KENNEDY, on 6/13/68 advised that his secretary at the Dunfey Agency office, Hampton, N. H., received a telephone call from an unknown woman who asked for WILLIAM DUNFEY. She was told he was attending a meeting and could not talk to her. The woman then said to the secretary, "Give him this message. Tell Senator TED KENNEDY to check Ottumwa, Iowa." The woman then asked the secretary to repeat the message and she did. The woman then said goodbye and hung up.

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The foregoing is being furnished for information and no action is being taken by Boston.

The local office of Secret Service has been advised.

LHM submitted.

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AIRMAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)
FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (62-76) (P)
RE: KENSALT

Re Sacramento teletype to Bureau dated 6/5/68.

Referenced teletype advised that JAMES MC EVOY, III, Ph.D., Department of Sociology, University of California at Davis, California, had stated that a person resembling the photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN had been ordered away from the hallway near stage where Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was to speak.

Professor MC EVOY stated this occurred in the hallway of Freeborn Hall, University of California at Davis, California, on 5/16/68, where Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY spoke. Professor MC EVOY stated that the individual had been ordered out of the hallway by University policeman JOSEPH GALLARDO and the incident had been observed by Professor KENNETH HAUF.

On 6/6/68, inquiry at the University of California Police Department revealed that the officer who had ordered the individual out of the hallway was Patrolman JOHN ADAMS REINWAND of the University Police Department. REINWAND stated that the individual whom he ordered out of the hallway definitely was not SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN although there were some similar features. He stated that he had seen photographs of SIRHAN and was certain of this.

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Professor KENNETH BANE, Political Science Department, University of California at Davis, California, stated he was the person who had observed the above incident. He stated his recollection was that although this individual appeared to be of Middle East extraction and had features similar to that of SIRHAND, he did not believe that they were identical. He stated that his wife, who was in the hallway at the time, might recall the individual.

On 6/6/68, Mrs. HEIDI BUSSE BANE, 1925 East Eighth Street, Davis, California, advised that she recalled the individual who had been requested to leave the hallway behind the stage where Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was to speak. She stated that while there was a definite resemblance between this individual and SIRHAN, she did not believe they were identical. She stated that a friend, Mrs. KIRSTE STEINMO, a teaching assistant at the University, was also there at the time and might recall the incident.

On 6/8/68, Mrs. KIRSTE STEINMO, 5344 McMillan Drive, Fair Oaks, California, advised that she did recall the individual who had been requested to leave from behind the stage at Freeborn Hall, University of California at Davis, California, when Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY spoke. She stated that the individual who was what she considers to be the Mediterranean type which includes Arabs, had features which she believes were similar to that of SIRHAN; however, she has seen photographs of SIRHAN and this individual definitely is not identical with SIRHAN. She added that she was able to see this individual from about seven feet away and for several minutes.

In view of the above, no further investigation is being conducted by the Sacramento Division in the above incident.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA JAMES A. MILLS

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/18/68

Investigation reflected that one MACHMOUD SIAM, aka Mike was manager of the Fez Restaurant, 1508 North Vermont Avenue, Los Angeles. SIAM reportedly was clapping his hands and encouraging singing in Arabic after hearing the news of KENNEDY's assassination. SIAM and other persons connected with the Fez Restaurant allegedly know or know of SIRHAN.

Investigation further reflected that one PHYLLIS YOUNG, aka Penny, a belly dancer formerly employed at the Fez had been questioned concerning her association with SIRHAN or the SIRHAN family.

LEADS

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will locate and interview MOCHMOUD SIAM and PHYLLIS YOUNG and interview them concerning SIRHAN, his family and any information pertinent to this investigation.

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Phyllis Young says FBI already talked to her, &
LAPD told her not to talk to us again.*

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The following investigation was conducted by SAs OLIVER W. LEHTINEN and ERNEST C. SMITH at Bangor, Washington on June 14, 1968:

~~Mrs. CAROL BURGESS~~, wife of Lance Corporal BERNARD BURGESS, U.S. Marine Corps, USMC Quarters, U.S. Naval Ammunition Depot, Bangor, Washington, an employee of the restaurant at the U.S. Naval Ammunition Depot, advised on June 14, 1968, that she had known SIRHAN SIRHAN while she was employed from about November, 1967 to about January, 1968 at the "Organic-Pacific" Health Food Store owned by Mr. JOHN WIEDNER, Pasadena, California. She said SIRHAN, known generally by the nickname "SOL", told her he had changed his name to SIRHAN SIRHAN so he could have two similar names, however he did not say what his name had been before the change.

She said SIRHAN was a produce boy and took produce from the abovee store to the Monterrey Park Store and the Downey Store. She said SIRHAN lived about a block and one half to two blocks from the store and that she had dropped him off at his residence in her car a few times. She said this residence was one block off Lake Avenue, but she did not know the address. She said she understood SIRHAN lived with his mother and brother, but she had not met them. She said SIRHAN stated he was "close" to his brother and he had "nice" parents. She said she believed SIRHAN had an automobile at home, but it was not in running condition.

Mrs. BURGESS said SIRHAN told her he was attending night school at Pasadena City College and that he liked history. She said one day SIRHAN came back from lunch with whiskey on his breath and made some remark that he would have to stay away from the boss that afternoon. She said she therefore assumed he drank a little.

She said SIRHAN was always by himself, that he came to work and left by himself, and he had lunch by himself. She said he never spoke of having a girlfriend and said at one time he had "bad luck" with girls, which remark he did not explain. She said no one visited him at the store.

She said SIRHAN believed in what he called "Witchcraft" and believed he had power to do greater things than did others. She said he had indicated in words not now recalled, that he

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"could do anything that God could do". She said he seemed not to "understand our religion", however he never explained what his religion was. She added he said "there are lots of things you can do if you put your mind to it".

Mrs. BURGESS said that Mr. WIEDNER had been in the "Underground" in France and had helped Jews escape from Germany and SIRHAN could not understand why he would help the Jews escape. She said SIRHAN and Mr. WIEDNER had some discussions concerning Jews, but she could not recall the details of these conversations except that SIRHAN and WIEDNER argued about Jews. She said SIRHAN sometimes waived his hands when he got somewhat excited in these conversations.

She said SIRHAN did not smoke and she assumed he did not use drugs or narcotics. She did not know him to have a gun and never talked about guns. She said he did not seem to be the violent type and, although he occasionally got mad-usually at the boss who expected his employees to work diligently, "he cooled off" quickly.

She said SIRHAN never talked about politics and he was generally very quiet, polite, and likeable. She said he appeared to be quite intelligent and had an extensive vocabulary; often using words she did not understand. She said SIRHAN also spoke "some other languages" besides English, and would interject some foreign phrases into conversation. She added he was a good worker.

She said SIRHAN was interested in horses and had been an "exercise boy". She said he used to go to horse races on weekends and that he "loved horses". She said he had hurt his back in a fall, falling off a Filly and was going to a doctor about his back. She said SIRHAN, a small individual, wanted people to think he was strong, but he complained about his back when picking up boxes. She said SIRHAN would also bet on horses at the track and would win and lose bets based on information given him by jockeys. She remembers on one occasion he won \$36. She said he wanted to be a jockey some day.

Mrs. BURGESS said SIRHAN had once given her a paperback book, title and author not recalled, concerning "Witchcraft",

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for her to read. She said she took it home, did not read it, and brought back the book the next day. She said SIRHAN had said he read by candle light from candles on a table. She said she asked him in connection with his Witchcraft, what he did. -- would he lift tables by Witchcraft?

SIRHAN said he did. She said she told him he could not be serious and SIRHAN remarked that he was. She said he came back from lunch one day with two red candles and two blue candles, apparently to read by or to use in his "Witchcraft".

Mrs. BURGESS said she was training one ~~RITA or RETA~~ to be manager at the store about a month before she, Mrs. BURGESS, left, and RITA or RETA would also know SIRHAN.

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AIRMAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (89-62) (P)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Los Angeles teletype to Director (AM), Milwaukee, and Seattle, 6/13/68.

Enclosed herewith are two (2) copies to the Bureau and nine (9) copies to Los Angeles of an investigative insert concerning an interview with Mrs. CAROL BURGESS, Bangor, Washington, who was acquainted with SIRHAN SIRHAN in Pasadena, California from 11/67 to 1/68.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SA JAMES E. HOFFER

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/14/68, Mr. JOHN BURNS, Counselor for Foreign Students at California Polytechnic College, Pomona, California, contacted SA HOFFER and stated that he had previously been contacted regarding the whereabouts of JANA HAMZEH, a student at the college, who might have knowledge concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN. Mr. BURNS stated since he was previously contacted, he has been giving some thought to the matter and recalled another Arabian student by the name of NAJIB CHAHINE, who reportedly knows SIRHAN SIRHAN. He stated CHAHINE resides at 810 North Myrtle, Pomona, California.

On 6/14/68, NAJIB CHAHINE, 810 North Myrtle, Pomona, advised that he had merely seen SIRHAN SIRHAN at a meeting of the organization of Arab students at the University of Southern California, and actually was not at all acquainted with SIRHAN. He advised, however, that another Arab student, KAHLID AL-HASSEN, who resides at 5351 Rosemead Boulevard in San Gabriel, California, and who has telephone number 287-1646, was well acquainted with SIRHAN as he went to Pasadena City College with him and was closely associated with him.

CHAHINE stated that he could afford no information that might be of any help regarding SIRHAN but could not understand SIRHAN's actions toward Senator KENNEDY as he, CHAHINE, was actually working for KENNEDY's election and felt that KENNEDY would have been the better choice for presidency as far as the Arabs are concerned.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SA DAVID R. PENDER

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/14/68, ~~ROY~~ VARROW, Banquet Manager at the Ambassador Hotel, advised that his wife, BARBARA, was present at the Ambassador Hotel on the night of the shooting of Senator KENNEDY. VARROW stated that after KENNEDY's speech, his wife was in the hallway close to the swinging doors that lead to the kitchen and that she remained in that area and near the Hat Check Room during and after the time of the shooting of Senator KENNEDY.

VARROW advised that his wife works as a hair stylist at Saks Fifth Avenue on Wilshire Boulevard in Beverly Hills from 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM Monday through Saturday, except Wednesdays. VARROW's home telephone number is 386-1211.

It should be noted that ROY VARROW has already been interviewed.

LEAD

Interview Mrs. VARROW to determine if she has any information of value.

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DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : *lyn* SUPERVISOR L. J. NORREGARD

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/17/68, an individual identifying himself as ROBERT LUPINI, 1176 New York Drive, Altadena, California, telephone 798-8209, telephonically furnished the following information:

He is a part-time waiter at the Hillcrest Antique Inn, operated by ROLAND MC DONALD, 3570 East Foothill Boulevard, Pasadena, California, telephone 795-9254. Up until last week an Argentine by the name of RICK or RICARDO MALDONADO was also employed at the Hillcrest Antique Inn, but MALDONADO suddenly quit his employment and reportedly left for Nicaragua.

LUPINI stated that he was bringing MALDONADO's identity to the attention of the FBI due to the fact MALDONADO had informed him he had been at the Ambassador Hotel the night Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was assassinated. According to LUPINI, MALDONADO indicated he had a difficult time leaving the Ambassador Hotel due to the fact he did not have a passport or other identification.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SA RICHARD Q. TOM

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memo of V.W. Hughes, 6/14/68.

On 6/17/68, MAX SCHWARTZ, Schwartz Consulting Engineers, Inc., 8320 Melrose Avenue, #103, Los Angeles, phone 851-4390, was contacted and furnished the following information:

Two days after the assassination of Senator KENNEDY, a former employee, ADEEB HADDAD, a foreign student from Iraq, telephoned the office to inquire if SCHWARTZ knew how a person could go to Mexico without the 5 months wait required for a visa or permit. HADDAD also inquired how he can obtain a permit to cross the border into Tijuana or Mexicali. SCHWARTZ stated he directed HADDAD to call a travel agency or the Greyhound Bus Line. SCHWARTZ stated he did not question him nor did he offered the reason for the trip to Mexico.

SCHWARTZ stated HADDAD had been an engineering student at the University of Southern California and had worked for SCHWARTZ on two different occasions, the final period in June 1967. SCHWARTZ said he does not know where HADDAD is presently employed and thought that perhaps HADDAD may be thinking of finding employment in Mexico.

SCHWARTZ furnished an address for ADEEB HADDAD, 8452 1/2 Kansas Avenue, Los Angeles, phone 750-0891.

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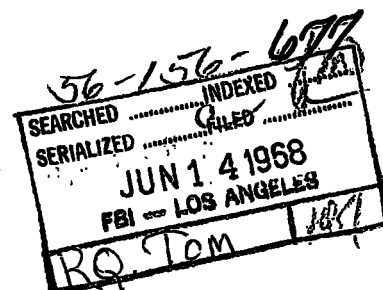
FROM : V W HUGHES

SUBJECT: KENSALT
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Former Security Informant ~~HARRY FARKAS~~ phoned the writer this date to advise that his brother-in-law is an engineer and hires people to work for him who are engineering students. The brother-in-law, MAX SCHWARTZ, advised Farkas that one of his former employees is an Iraq exchange student. A day or two after the assassination of Senator Kennedy this Iraq student came to Schwartz and asked him if he knew how a person could get into the heart of Mexico without applying for permit, visa etc. Farkas had no additional details.

LEAD:

Will interview ~~Max Schwartz~~, 8320 Melrose Ave. LA, phone 651-4390 for details concerning above incident.



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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SA W. JAMES WOOD

SUBJECT: KENSALT

RE INTERVIEWS OF MEMBERS OF
OFFICIAL KENNEDY PARTY

JAMES LOWE, 4620 Coliseum, Los Angeles, California, advised he recalled having told some young KENNEDY workers just before the end of Senator KENNEDY'S speech at the Embassy Room that there had been a change in plans, that instead of exiting from the stage at the right, as one looks at the stage, from which point Senator KENNEDY and his party had entered, the new plans were that he was to exit from the left rear and go to the Colonial Room for a press conference. He said he had been told this by a well-dressed man from New York, whom he understood to be from New York.

Mr. LOWE stated he had furnished detailed information concerning this portion of the inquiry when previously interviewed by SA BAILEY of the Los Angeles Office.

He also stated he wanted to furnish the following additional information:

On June 14, 1968, he was talking with THAD HEATH, another member of the KENNEDY party who was onstage at the time Senator KENNEDY spoke at the Embassy Room, who was also by the Senator when he was shot, holding the people back. HEATH told LOWE he felt certain he had seen SIRHAN sitting onstage the night Senator KENNEDY gave a speech at Temple Isaiah, 10345 West Pico Boulevard, Los Angeles, on a Monday night about three weeks ago, exact date not recalled. HEATH said this man was just sitting onstage, looking out into the audience.

LOWE, who was also present at Temple Isaiah on the night in question, said he does not remember seeing anyone resembling SIRHAN.

LOWE said he was also talking yesterday, June 14, 1968, with LENA SMITH, a young professional KENNEDY campaign worker. She said that following the Temple Isaiah appearance, but before the appearance of KENNEDY at the Embassy Room, she was called on three separate occasions by a man who gave his name as SHAN, SHAWN, or some phonetically similar name, asking for a date. She declined on each occasion.

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[Signature] *[Signature]*

In LOWE'S presence, LENA SMITH telephoned KAREN GANLEY, another young professional who was a KENNEDY worker. LENA SMITH mentioned to KAREN GANLEY that someone closely resembling SIRHAN had been seen onstage at Temple Isaiah, and discussed with GANLEY the fact that someone with a similar name had been calling her for dates. GANLEY said she did not believe the man onstage, who may have had some resemblance to SIRHAN, was identical with SIRHAN. She said she had also been called by someone with a name SHAN, SHAWN, or something similar, asking for a date, but had turned him down.

LOWE asked LENA SMITH where this man might have gotten her telephone number, and she suggested the possibility he may have gotten it from KENNEDY headquarters, 5615 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles.

LOWE then talked with LINDA SUCKNEY, secretary at KENNEDY headquarters. She recalled talking with a young man who volunteered his services as a KENNEDY worker and filled out an application. She believed he had a first name resembling JAMESTED, and remarked that he was an exchange student from one of the Arab countries. She recalled that he had asked for, and been given, the telephone numbers of LENA SMITH and KAREN GANLEY.

LOWE said he is chairman of the Membership Committee of the local KENNEDY organization. BILL EVANSON is co-chairman, and currently has all the application forms of volunteer workers at his home. LOWE estimated there are about 600 such forms, and said EVANSON would be glad to furnish them for review.

LOWE did not have EVANSON'S home address, but said his home telephone is 474 3056, and his business phone number is GR 8-9711, extension 4353.

*UCLA Graduate School of Business Administration
Room 2381*

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Will contact BILL EVANSON, tel. 474 3056, ^{or} GR 8-9711, extension 4353, and through him, review application forms of young KENNEDY Volunteers, in an effort to identify the individual, whose first name may resemble JAMESTED, in an effort to ascertain whether this person is identical with SIRHAN.

If it appears he is identical, with thereafter ascertain from EVANSON the addresses of the following individuals and interview them for complete information concerning the allegations set forth herein:

THAD HEATH 3668 Olympiad Street, LA No phone

? < LENA SMITH (6345 Kester, Van Nuys, Calif. 787-6346 Res
WE3-6171 EXT. 1292

KAREN GANLEY

LINDA SUCKNEY > 2024 North Ave. LA Res. 987-1697

Jamshid Tadjiki
1841 North New Hampshire #9
Hollywood, Calif.
665-3527

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) (P)

DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : SA FREDRICK E. BECKER

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re efforts to interview employees of the Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire, Los Angeles, California.

During the early morning hours of 6/13/68 it was determined that the following two employees of the Ambassador Hotel would be off duty and unavailable for interview at the hotel until they go on duty from approximately 11:30pm, Friday night, 6/14/68 to 7:30am Saturday morning, 6/15/68.

Covered
TRUDY HENNINGS, Housekeeping Department,
11231 SUCCESS AVE. time card # 1118
LOS ANGELES Supervisor: Maj. HAYDEN

10pm - 6am shift

Covered
MANUEL CHAVEZ, Dishwashing Department
1080 W. 23RD ST. Supervisor: LOUIS LEZAR
LOS ANGELES

10pm - 6am

LEAD

It is recommended that the shift of agents working the Friday night to Saturday morning shift be assigned these two interviews at the hotel.

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TO : SAC 56-156

FROM : SA RICHARD BUCARO

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/17/68

The names Ellen Gruder and Kallellen appear in the subject's notebook and are unidentified to date. These names appear in the same general area as does the name Peggy Osterkamp and may also be associated with the period of subject's employment on the horse farm.

LEAD AT CORONA, CALIF.

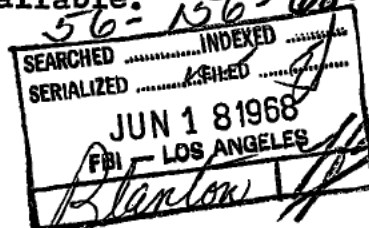
Contact LAURA KRAUS of Granja Vista Del Rio Farms to determine if the names Ellen Gruder and Kallellen are known to her. (It is noted that SA BLANTON has contacted KRAUS previously)

Also, the name Pinecraft Restaurant appears in subject's notebook, as well as Frank Donaruma, Sol Sanjuanino. Pinecraft Restaurant is in Corona and it was noted that Donaruma's wife, first name unknown, worked there in 1966.

LEAD AT CORONA, CALIFORNIA

Make inquiry at Pinecraft Restaurant re subject and display his photo for all info available.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/18/68

FROM : SA PAUL CHAMBERLAIN, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/5/68, HUMPHREY OTTO CORDERO and ENRIQUE RABAGO voluntarily appeared at the Los Angeles Office of the FBI and furnished signed statements concerning conversations they had with SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN at the Ambassador Hotel on the evening of 6/4/68.

In addition to making statements derogatory to Senator ROBERT KENNEDY, SIRHAN allegedly told the above individuals of an incident involving himself and some unknown female "hostess" at the RAFFERTY for Senator Room at the Ambassador Hotel. According to SIRHAN, he allegedly paid for a drink and left a \$20 tip for the hostess in an effort to show the individuals present that he was "not dirt".

On 6/11/68, RICHARD S. MC GEE, Campaign Coordinator, RAFFERTY for Senator, advised that there were no hostesses as such working in the RAFFERTY Room on the evening in question. He did state, however, that the following females were present in a voluntary status on the evening in question:

PAM RUSSO

Secretary to the Director of the Museum
California Science of Museum and Industry

VICKY BILLING

A friend and associate of PAM RUSSO

DIANE WICK

Telephone 762-0860

KAREN SOUTHWICK

A friend and associate of DIANE WICK

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*Bob see
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It should be noted that RICHARD MC GEE advised that he believes that RAFFERTY may possibly be in possession of some information concerning this matter.

On 6/8/68, and 6/11/68, a check of the employees records of the Ambassador Hotel revealed the following waiters who were present in the RAFFERTY for Senator Room and the adjacent ante room on the evening of 6/4/68:

~~JAVIER CUEVA~~
Telephone RA 2-0733

~~BLAISE MINNES~~
Telephone 389-8562
(interviewed by writer)

~~FRANK QUINONEZ~~
4411 Alpha Street
Los Angeles

~~MANUEL RODRIGUEZ~~
Telephone 985-0837

~~ELIO HERNANDEZ~~
1715 Arapahoe
Los Angeles

~~NECTOR SUPERVILLE~~
Telephone 467-8336
946 North Hudson Avenue
Los Angeles

~~(FNG) CETINA~~
Telephone 389-6860

*Bob check
With Richard
to see if these people
were interviewed.*

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(1) Through contact with DICK MC GEE, RAFFERTY for Senator Campaign Coordinator, 766-3211, or through above listed telephone numbers, interview females at RAFFERTY Room regarding \$20 bill incident.

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(2) Will, if not already handled, interview waiters listed above regarding \$20 bill incident.

(3) If not already done and if deemed advisable, interview MAX RAFFERTY for any information regarding SIRHAN's appearance at the RAFFERTY for Senator Room on 6/4/68.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES 56-156

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SA RICHARD BUCARO

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/17/68 SA BUCARO telephonically contacted DR. ROSS MILLER and his wife, IRIS, 636-7518, of 1319 Atlantic Dr., Compton, Calif., for the purpose of obtaining the list of names of persons attending the Ambassador Hotel function during the KENNEDY speech on the night of 6/4/68, whom they saw. They stated that they have been too busy to prepare such a list, but Mrs. MILLER went through her address book and furnished orally the following list of names and addresses:

Hoskins
JACK WINTERS
1322 Atlantic Dr., Compton, Calif

Hoskins
REV. LLOYD WILKINS
Bennett Street, Compton.

Doucette
JACK AHBENDT, in charge of Students for Kennedy, Compton College, lives at unknown address Paramount, Calif. *531-956 15124 Barfield Para.*

Doucette
Dr. FRED PARROTT *301-210* 1704 W. Manchester Ave 750-0590
Manchester Ave, Los Angeles

Holmes
WILLARD MURRAY
5309 Maymont Dr., Los Angeles.

Holmes
BARBARA MURRAY, 5309 Maymont, L.A. (Wife of WILLARD)

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~~DR. PHILIP SMITH~~
~~8500 Figueroa, Los Angeles~~

Stolen

~~GENE RAMOS and wife, JACKIE~~
~~Gene Ramos Interiors, Los Angeles.~~

Hate

~~JAMES MENEFIELD~~
~~1000 West Arbutus Street, Compton~~

Hate

~~AL MOSLEY may be better known as Carl Mosley,~~
~~209 Willow Street, Compton.~~

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SA ROBERT F. PICKARD

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/17/68, MR. ANGELO DI PIERRO, MAITRE D' HOTEL, AMBASSADOR HOTEL, ADVISED THAT A LIMITED PRESS PHOTOGRAPHER, NAME NOT KNOWN, PHOTOGRAPHED HIS SON VINCENT ON 6/13/68. THE APPOINTMENT TO PHOTOGRAPH WAS MADE BY A MR. HECKMAN OF UPI.

THE PHOTOGRAPHER ADVISED THAT HE WAS PRESENT IN THE ROOM WHEN SENATOR KENNEDY WAS SHOT.

LEAD

CONTACT MR. HECKMAN OF UPI FOR IDENTITY OF PHOTOGRAPHER AND THEREAFTER INTERVIEW PHOTOGRAPHER.

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DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SAC LLOYD D. JOHNSON

SUBJECT: KENSA IT

On 6/14/68, Mrs. ALICE ALLEN, secretary, Pasadena City College, advised their records reflected that PAT T. BLAKESLEE, who taught Psychology to SIRHAN SIRHAN in the fall of 1964, was no longer at the school, and the last address they had for the teacher was 16761 Lassen Street, Sepulveda, California (telephone 363-6891).

same address 363-9337

LEAD: LOS ANGELES, AT SEPULVEDA: Will contact and interview PAT T. BLAKESLEE for any information she may have concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN, his background, nationalistic tendencies, or why he might have assassinated Senator KENNEDY.

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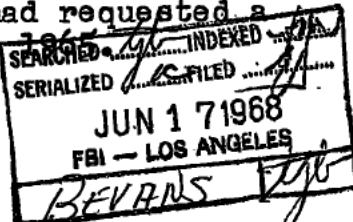
FROM : SA LLOYD D. JOHNSON

SUBJECT: KENSAIT

In connection with attempts to identify the woman in the polka-dot dress who was allegedly with SIRHAN at the Ambassador Hotel, Mrs. ALICE ALLEN, secretary to Dr. IRVIN G. LEWIS, Administrative Dean of Students Personnel Services, Pasadena City College, stated there was an Iranian student who attended PCC in 1961 and 1962 who was extremely attractive in figure, being quite petite. She had no idea whether or not SIRHAN knew this girl, but furnished the following information concerning her:

Name: FARIDEH MONGHATE
Sex: Female
Race: Caucasian (Iranian)
Born: 7/18/42, in Tehran, Iran
Education: Attended PCC from December, 1961 until 5/63, when she withdrew due to illness
Guardian: ASSAN KHATANI, cousin
649 W. Markland Drive
Monterey Park, California
Permanent residence: 16 Daneshar Street, Tehran, Iran
Parents: FAZILLAH MONGHATE (father)
ESHEY MONGHATE (mother)
both at above Iranian address
Prior residences: 1961 - 101 N. Hill St., Pasadena
1962 - 105 N. Wilson, Pasadena
12/63: 1900 N. Grace Ave., Apt. 12, Hollywood

Mrs. ALLEN stated the girl always seemed to have lots of money, and appeared to be an opportunist. The record reflected Woodbury College, Los Angeles, had requested a transcript of her record from PCC in June, 1965.



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LEAD: LOS ANGELES, AT LOS ANGELES: Will check records of Woodbury College, Los Angeles, for current address of MONGHATE.

- 2) Will check INS records for possible whereabouts of MONGHATE, and interview her if located.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 6/11/68

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SA Miller
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TERRY MICKEY WELCH, 25173 Farmbrook, Southfield, advised that he recognized SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN from photographs on telecast concerning the attempt on the life of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. WELCH then called WWJ Television, Detroit, Michigan, and made them aware of the fact that he knew SIRHAN and he was subsequently interviewed on that station.

WELCH stated that he first met SIRHAN approximately three years ago when both were employed as exercise boys at Granja Vista Del Rio, a thoroughbred horse farm located at Corona, California, and owned by BURT ALTAFISH (phonetic). From that time until May, 1967, WELCH was closely associated with SIRHAN and considered him to be his closest friend. He said that approximately 1½ years ago, probably between September, 1966 and December, 1966, SIRHAN suffered a very bad fall from a horse at Granja Vista Del Rio and was admitted to the hospital at Corona, where he remained in critical condition for several weeks. He suffered head and back injuries which resulted in his being partially blind in his left eye and since the time of the accident, he has suffered from severe headaches. WELCH stated that SIRHAN was supposed to get a settlement as a result of this accident and was angry because he did not get as much as he thought he should.

WELCH advised that SIRHAN underwent a complete personality change after the above-described accident. He stated that prior to that time, SIRHAN had been good natured and easy to get along with. He was popular with other employees at the horse farm and with horse owners who kept race horses at this farm. WELCH listed DESI ARNEZ, BUDDY EBSON, and DALE ROBERTSON, prominent television personalities, as horse owners who were well acquainted with SIRHAN. He described SIRHAN prior to the accident as well mannered, neat, clean, intelligent, and a gentlemen in every way. He said that while SIRHAN was thrifty and would sometimes save his checks for three or four weeks before cashing them, he was also generous in providing money to friends who were temporarily in need, and in addition stated that although SIRHAN did not drink himself, he accompanied WELCH and other employees to local bars and would often purchase drinks for everyone present.

On 6/6/68 at Southfield, Michigan File # Detroit 62-4177
by SAs DAVID C. NESBITT and ROBERT S. BARNHART/rsb/slo Date dictated 6/11/68

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Following his fall from the horse in 1966, SIRHAN became a "loner" who was resentful toward anyone who had wealth. He, at this time, became unpredictable and unreliable in that he would make plans to do things or go places with WELCH and then for no apparent reason would change his mind.

After he was released from the hospital at Corona, SIRHAN obtained a job with ROBERT WHEELER, an owner and trainer at the Santa Anita Race Track. He remained on this job for 3 to 5 weeks and when he found that he did not know enough about the job, he quit and went back to Granja Vista Del Rio to learn more about handling horses. WELCH said SIRHAN had a great desire to be a good rider and although he was frightened after the accident, he refused to quit riding even after being repeatedly thrown from horses.

TERRY WELCH advised that SIRHAN was also known as Sol by race track acquaintances and fellow employees. He said that inasmuch as persons of all nationalities frequent race tracks and horse farms, he and SIRHAN worked with Mexicans, Negroes, Irish, Greeks, Italians, Jews, and Hungarians, and SIRHAN never gave any indication to him of prejudice toward any nationality. He said that before the accident SIRHAN was curious and was always attempting to learn and improve himself. He would visit dairy and poultry farms for example during his off-duty hours, and could talk intelligently on almost any subject. He spoke excellent English with little or no accent. He was an avid reader, particularly with regard to law and frequently discussed cases which he had read about. SIRHAN did not appear to be particularly interested in politics and WELCH does not recall any pertinent discussions of political issues.

SIRHAN appeared to be devoted to his mother and told WELCH he visited his mother in Pasadena, California every other weekend when he was not working. WELCH said he never went with SIRHAN to visit his mother and does not know the names of any of SIRHAN's relatives, but recalls SIRHAN stated his mother's name was MARY. His father was overseas, according to SIRHAN, and supposedly wealthy.

WELCH believes that the Reverend LEO HILL, Circle City Baptist Church, Ninth and Sheridan, Corona, would possibly know SIRHAN inasmuch as SIRHAN gave WELCH a card for this church and suggested that he see Reverend HILL when he was having personal problems.

SIRHAN told WELCH on one occasion that he had been expelled from a college in Los Angeles, California as a result of trouble with a girl. This incident supposedly occurred before WELCH and SIRHAN became acquainted.

SIRHAN also stated that at one time he had worked for a gun or skeet club in the Corona or Los Angeles area. WELCH believed that BURT ALTAFFISH would possibly have more information concerning this.

TERRY WELCH said that when he first learned about SIRHAN's connection with the assault on Senator KENNEDY, he could not believe that SIRHAN had shot KENNEDY because he had previously been such a "nice guy". He has not seen or had contact with SIRHAN since May, 1967. He does not believe that SIRHAN would have committed this assault for money, nor would he have been involved in a conspiracy. With regard to the money allegedly in SIRHAN's possession when he was captured, WELCH said it would not be unusual for SIRHAN to carry large sums of money in his pocket inasmuch as he was a thrifty individual and when he and WELCH were closely associated, SIRHAN habitually kept his wallet in the glove compartment of his car, which WELCH described as a 1950 or 1951 DeSoto. WELCH said it was common practice for race track employees to keep their wallets in the glove compartments of cars to prevent theft from their persons.

In conversations with fellow employees who were refugees from Communist countries, such as Cuba and Hungary, SIRHAN always gave WELCH the impression that he was very much opposed to Communism. He indicated a liking for the United States and never exhibited any particular loyalty or feeling toward the country of his birth, Jordan. WELCH said he does not recall having ever heard SIRHAN mention being or living in any state other than California in the United States.

WELCH concluded by stating that he feels that the personality change which took place in SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN after his accident must have gotten worse in the past year since WELCH has had contact with him, and that he "went out of his mind, or that something was preying on his mind."

WELCH said that SIRHAN was particularly friendly with FRANK DONORAMA, one of the bosses or supervisors at Granja Vista Del Rio. He added that prior to SIRHAN's accident, BURT ALMAFISH had been so impressed with SIRHAN's potential that he offered SIRHAN a good administrative job at Granja Vista Del Rio. SIRHAN declined this offer inasmuch as he preferred to work directly with the horses and become a good rider.

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Date: 6/11/68

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, DETROIT (62-4177)

KENSALT

Re Bureau teletype to all SACs, 6/5/68 and Detroit teletype to Los Angeles, 6/7/68.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are nine copies of an FD-302 setting forth results of an interview by Bureau Agents of TERRY MICKEY WELCH on 6/6/68 at Southfield, Michigan, concerning his acquaintanceship and knowledge of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

Detroit indices contained no record identifiable with TERRY MICKEY WELCH.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 5/18/68

FROM : SA ALLEN K. TOLEN

SUBJECT: KENSAIT

On 6/18/68 PHILLIP M. SMITH, SR., M.D., 8500 S. Figueroa, Los Angeles, California was interviewed concerning his presence at the Ambassador Hotel on June 4, 1968. DR. SMITH advised that although he was not at the Ambassade Hotel when SENATOR KENNEDY was shot, as soon as he heard that the SENATOR had been shot, he went to the AMBASSADOR HOTEL to the PRESIDENTIAL SUITE. He advised that the following individuals were at the PRESIDENTIAL SUITE when he arrived.

~~CHARLES EVERS~~
~~Address unknown~~

~~ROOSEVELT GREER~~
~~L.A. RANG~~
~~Address unknown~~

~~CONGRESSMAN REES~~
~~Address unknown~~

Donovan

*(This one)
HAS*

*Donette Thomas - 26 long dist.
off 652 4000 816 So Robertson*

(Sent tel to have interview WFO)?

LEAD

If not already interviewed, will interview the above individuals concerning any information re caption matter.

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*HAVE ALL these
people been interviewed?
Hamilton*

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*See TT sent WFO 6/20/68 requesting
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6/14/68

AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, CINCINNATI (175-6) (P)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Cincinnati teletype to Bureau, Los Angeles and WFO, 6/6/68, and Bureau airtel to Cincinnati and Los Angeles, 6/11/68.

Enclosed for Los Angeles is one copy of photograph of (FNU) SERHARD (Phonetic) mentioned in referenced teletype and photo of "HAPPY VACK" and girlfriend "CANDY". Enclosed for Cleveland is one copy of referenced Cincinnati teletype.

For the information of Cleveland, enclosed teletype contains sufficient background data for coverage of leads in Cleveland Division.

ROBERT LEE DRIGGS was incarcerated at the Lima State Hospital, Lima, Ohio, in 1966 by Ross County, Ohio, apparently for observation.

For information of Los Angeles, DRIGGS has been reinterviewed as requested in referenced Bureau airtel. DRIGGS was unable to provide identities of persons attending party at SERHARD's home in Pasadena, California, on 7/4/65, with the exception of JOHN HAIG (phonetic) who owned the coffee shop at #7 Dudley Street, Venice, California, where the N.E.B. Du Bois Club members met. DRIGGS described HAIG as the main organizer of the Venice Du Bois Club. DRIGGS states there was a beach party at the end of Dudley Street about May, 1965. Most of the

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people at this party were members of the Du Bois Club at Venice. This party was broken up by the police and the majority of the persons present arrested. DRIGGS states the names of persons present were in a local paper with photos of the party and that about 1/3 of the people at the beach party were also present at the party at SERHARND's home on 7/4/65.

DRIGGS stated he has lived in California off and on since 1961 doing "day work" and living with friends and sleeping on the beach. DRIGGS has been unable to locate other photos he took at the party at SERHARND's home and believes they have been destroyed. DRIGGS described the Communist literature in SERHARND's home as approximately 90% dealing with Communist aims and objectives in Latin America. The other literature dealt with alleged American atrocities in Vietnam and the alleged use of chemical warfare by the United States in Vietnam.

DRIGGS stated he could only describe one pamphlet specifically and this concerned with chemical warfare. DRIGGS stated he does not remember the size of the pamphlet however, the cover bore a photo of an alleged American airplane spraying something. DRIGGS stated that it looked almost like a cropduster to him. DRIGGS stated this literature was spread on a table at SERHARND's home during the party.

For further information of Los Angeles, a separate case has been opened at Cincinnati captioned, ROBERT LEE DRIGGS, SM - C, Cincinnati file 100-17655. Any information concerning KENSALT resulting from information furnished by DRIGGS or information concerning DRIGGS' activities developed by Los Angeles should be furnished to the referenced file as well as KENSALT.

For the information of WFO, DRIGGS did not go to Washington as planned, however, he now tentatively plans to leave for Washington, D. C. on 6/15/68 or 6/16/68, and to arrive at Washington by 6/19/68, to participate in the demonstration scheduled for that date.

LEAD:

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CLEVELAND

AT LIMA, OHIO

Immediately contact Lima State Hospital, obtain photo of ROBERT LEE DRIGGS as described in enclosed teletype. Furnish photos of DRIGGS to Cincinnati, Los Angeles and WFO immediately.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (56-156)

DATE: 6/12/68

FROM : SA GORDON B. PLAYMAN

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/12/68 MR. MARVIN H. STEWART, General Electric Tempo Project, Santa Barbara, advised that he and a fellow worker, SID FRANK, had attended an afternoon rally in the Santa Barbara County Courthouse Sunken Gardens on Tuesday, 5/28/68, which featured an appearance and talk by Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. FRANK had a camera and took a series of photos of the Senator and the crowd around him before, during and after the talk. MR. STEWART advised that in viewing these color transparencies on 6/12/68 he noted in one of the photos a person in the foreground of the crowd who bore a strong resemblance to SIRHAN SIRHAN. The photo in question was a long shot of KENNEDY as he was preparing to depart by auto on Anacapa Street.

The writer viewed this frame on 6/12/68 through the assistance of MR. STEWART and noted that the individual in question bore a slight resemblance to SIRHAN in coloring and facial features, but he was noted to have a moustache and a larger nose than SIRHAN's newspaper photo. He was dressed in a blue striped shirt and was carrying what appeared to be a placard under his right arm.

STEWART made the original frame available to the FBI but advised that since it is the original and only copy, he ~~would~~ desired that it be returned to him immediately after it had been viewed by witnesses in the Los Angeles area and was no longer needed by the FBI.

The frame is attached and should be returned to the writer for return to STEWART.

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See 1 B-35
#5ain log of exhibits
Original returned to SA G. Playman on 6/18/68
Picture returned to Stewart 6/12/68
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
June 11, 1968

RE: DAVID EUGENE KATES

On June 7, 1968, authorities of the Oklahoma State Penitentiary, Mc Alester, Oklahoma made available to the FBI the following letter addressed to the FBI, Tulsa, Oklahoma:

"Dear Sir. I have just heard of the attempt on Mr. Robert Kenneky's life. I have myself at one time been suspicioned of such dire happening. You can find my name in Secret Service files. I would like strongly to suggest in the course of your investigation you question Max Stross, Jr., 3545 Oakridge Drive, Woodland Hills, California, and Micky Belfort. I am unaware of his address, although it is in the Santa Ana Hills section of Orange County. I have definite reasons of belief of knowledge by these people of the events of the past twentyfour hours. Signed, Most Sincerely, David Eugene Kates, OSP number 75728."

Kates was interviewed by Special Agents of the FBI on June 7, 1968 and advised that he became associated with Stross and Belfort while a student at Orange High School, Orange, California in 1962.

Stross and Belfort persuaded Kates to hand out Nazi propaganda. Kates states that Stross and Belfort associated with individual at Orange, California who appears to be identical with photograph in newspapers of Sirhan Beshara Sirhan. This individual was not a student at Orange High School, but attended school functions there and had a girlfriend, Gloria Gonzales, a student at Santa Ana, California, High School. Kates has not seen Stross or Belfort since 1963 when he moved from California. He did

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Re: David Eugene Kates

not recall the name of the individual who appeared to be identical with Sirhan.

Kates thinks that Stross and Belfort were arrested during riots in Los Angeles in 1962. He described Stross as a white American male, early twenties, five feet seven inches tall, one hundred and ninety pounds, heavy build, sandy brown hair, medium complexion and an only child.

He described Belfort as a white American male, five feet ten inches tall, one hundred and seventy pounds, early twenties, black hair, dark eyes, dark complexion, medium build, two older brothers.

Kates was received at Oklahoma State Penitentiary on July, 17, 1967 from Oklahoma County for robbery with firearms and unauthorized use of a motor vehicle: sentenced to nine years. He is described as a white American male, five feet eleven inches and one-half, slender build, ruddy complexion, black hair, brown eyes, born June 29, 1946 at San Diego, California, FBI number 789042E.

During the interview, Kates admitted that while he was an inmate at Federal Correctional Institution, Englewood, Colorado, in 1964, he wrote two letters threatening to kill President Johnson. He was then transferred on December 17, 1964 to the Medical Center for Federal Prisoners, Springfield, Missouri. He was discharged October 11, 1966. On October 12, 1966, Kates was arrested by Secret Service, Tulsa, Oklahoma, and charged with oral threat against the President. On October 20, 1966, he was admitted as a patient, Eastern State Hospital, Vinita, Oklahoma. He claims to have been released November 13, 1966. On November 16, 1966, he was arrested by the Sheriff's Office, Oklahoma City, for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and claims to have been incarcerated since that time. Kates had no information to tie Stross and Belfort to Kennedy's death.

Re; David Eugene Kates.

Kates while in the Federal Correctional Institution, Englewood, Colorado, attempted to poison a fellow inmate. Kates allegedly had recruited his victim into the American Nazi Party and the poison incident was over the victim's defection. Prison records at Englewood, Colorado showed an interview by prison officials with Kates wherein he claimed to have been in contact with George Lincoln Rockwell, deceased leader of the American Nazi Party, while in California. Colorado prison records further showed Kates "had definite paranoid and schizoid tendencies and could easily become fanatic..." Kates remains in custody at the Oklahoma State Penitentiary, McAlester, Oklahoma, and SHOULD BE CONSIDERED EXTREMELY DANGEROUS.

6/11/68

AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

*Kates
We have an
memo on this*

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109119)

FROM: SAC OKLAHOMA CITY (62-2858) (P)

DAVID EUGENE KATES
MISC - INFORMATION CONCERNING
(TROPUS)

*me 62 157-1010
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Re Oklahoma City teletype to Director and Los Angeles 6/7/68 entitled KENSALT.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of a self-explanatory letterhead memorandum with two copies of an FD-376 concerning captioned individual.

Enclosed for Los Angeles is one copy of a letterhead memorandum, and one copy of a letter head memorandum and an FD-376 for dissemination to the U.S. Secret Service, Los Angeles.

For the information of the Bureau, PATRICK H. STEELE, Special Agent in Charge, Secret Service, Oklahoma was telephonically advised of this information on 6/7/68. STEELE advised that his office had extensive records concerning KATES and as a matter of fact, had arrested KATES in 1966 for making oral threats against President LYNDON B. JOHNSON. STEELE said he considered KATES to be a very dangerous and extremely unstable, and anything he said would be of questionable value.

- 1-Bureau (RM) (Enc. 4)
- 2-Los Angeles (RM) (Enc. 3)
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 - (1 - 62-2858)
 - (1 - 62-3589)

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*Per instructions of Supervisor
Nolan Xerox copy of LHM was
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by FD 342 on 6/21/68
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Date: 6/12/68

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
 FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)
 SUBJECT: KENSALT
 (OO:LA)

On 6/12/68, an individual identifying himself as ~~NORMAN WEXLER~~, residence--963 Lexington Ave., NY, NY, telephone #LO4-3250, called the NYO of the FBI, and stated that he is a free-lance playwright and also that he is free lance in advertising. He stated that he was a classmate of Senator ROBERT KENNEDY at Harvard in 1948; that he had gone to California on a voluntary basis to help with the KENNEDY campaign a few days prior to Senator KENNEDY's assassination; and that he was in the Ambassador Hotel on the night of the assassination.

WEXLER stated that there was no security at the Ambassador Hotel and that when the police came in, they acted as though they were "morons". WEXLER stated that he was in a room near the shooting and that he did not see the shooting nor hear the shots. WEXLER went on to state that he had the theory that SIRHAN SIRHAN was a member of Communist International.

- ③ - Los Angeles
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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
 Special Agent in Charge

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It is noted that WEXLER is the subject of NY file numbers listed at the bottom of this communication, and that file number NY 9-4157 is also LA file number 9-3336, captioned "NORMAN WEXLER; MRS. DAVID VAN DEREN - VICTIM, EXTORTION, 00:LA".

~~Two~~ ^{THE} case files on WEXLER show that he has a history of mental illness and that because of this, no further action is being taken on the information furnished by him in this matter.

This information is being furnished the LA Office in the event they have information that WEXLER was actually at the Ambassador Hotel or in the event WEXLER should call the LA Office.

Information from NY files describe WEXLER as:

Name	NORMAN SIDNEY WEXLER
Race	White
Sex	Male
DOB	8/6/26
POB	New Bedford, Mass.
Height	6'1"
Weight	180 lbs.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)(P)

DATE: 6/15/68

FROM : SA VERNON E. JOSSY

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memo of SA FREDRICK E. BECKER dated 6/13/68.

On 6/14/68, ~~Mr. ANDREW HARRISON~~, 230 West Washington, Pasadena, California, telephone 798-8406, advised that his wife, WILAMAY HARRISON, is not home and has gone to Los Angeles for the day shopping. He stated that she would be home on Saturday, 6/15/68.

LEAD

LOS ANGELES

AT PASADENA, CALIFORNIA: Contact WILAMAY HARRISON, 230 West Washington, in an effort to determine if SIRHAN B. SIRHAN was in attendance at Ancient Mystical Order Rosae Crucis on 5/28/68 at Pasadena, California, as set forth in referenced memo.

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AIRTEL

To: SAC, New York (44-1640)

From: Director, FBI (62-587)

KENSALT

Re New York airtel to Bureau 6/8/68.

New York should forward to the Bureau copies of the photographs made by free lance photographer Peter Spencer Berkson referred to in reairtel.

1 - Los Angeles (info)

*Copies being made
of airtel sent 6/17/68
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6/19/68
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Date: JUNE 17, 1968

Transmit the following in _____

(Type in plaintext or code)

Via **AIRTEL** _____

(Priority)

To: SAC, Los Angeles

✓ From: Director, FBI

KENSALT

Attached hereto are an original and one copy of transmittal form 5-141 directed to District Attorney Evelle J. Younger, transmitting two copies of the report of SA Richards concerning investigation conducted in captioned matter.

The copy of this transmittal form should be retained in your files. Advise the Bureau when these reports have been delivered to Mr. Younger.

Enclosures (2)

*2 copies delivered to
Dist. Atty. June 18, 1968
J. A. Richards
Bureau copy delivered in
file today 6/18
Hester*

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR



①- SAC, Los Angeles
Re: KENSALT

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

June 18, 1968

Mr. Evelle J. Younger
District Attorney
Los Angeles County, California
Room 600, Hall of Justice
Los Angeles, California 90012

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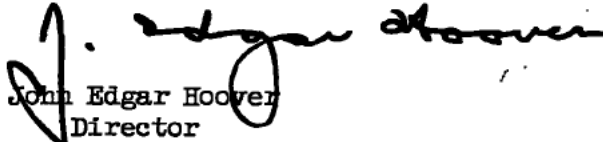
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Dear Mr. Younger:

For your information, I am enclosing
a communication which may be of interest to you.

Upon removal of the enclosure, if
classified, this transmittal form becomes
unclassified.

Sincerely yours,


John Edgar Hoover
Director

Encs. 2 (Two copies of report of SA Amedee O.
Richards, Jr., dated 6-9-68, captioned
"Sirhan Bishara Sirhan, Civil Rights.")

The attached report makes reference to
confidential sources of this Bureau. Specifically,
reference is made to pages 1002, et sequitur, of
Volume IV. In view of the sensitive nature of this
information, it is requested that the contents of this
report not be disseminated outside your agency.

SAC, Indianapolis

June 17, 1968

Director, FBI

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN - VICTIM
EXTORTION

Reurteletype 6/13/68.

Immediately discuss this case with the appropriate United States Attorney to determine if he would consider prosecution. If United States Attorney would consider prosecution, Bureau authority is granted for your office to secure a Federal Grand Jury subpoena to check telephone toll call records as requested by referenced communication.

① - Los Angeles
1 - San Francisco



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AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) (P)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re San Antonio airtel to Bureau and Los Angeles dated 6/13/68, a Xerox copy of which is enclosed for San Diego.

In reviewing this matter Los Angeles is of the opinion that the "JIMMY" referred to in reairtel is identical with JIMMY LEE MC BRIDE, subject of Bufile 175-53, Los Angeles File 175-35, San Antonio File 175-9 and San Diego File 175-4, entitled "DARRELL WYNN BURTCHELL; JIMMY LEE MC BRIDE; CONSPIRACY TO KILL THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES; FAG; DESERTER."

San Diego is requested to immediately forward a photograph of MC BRIDE to San Antonio, and San Antonio is requested to exhibit said photograph to NORMAN JOSEPH KENNEDY, JR., and ascertain if MC BRIDE is identical with the individual NORMAN JOSEPH KENNEDY, JR., knows as "JIMMY."

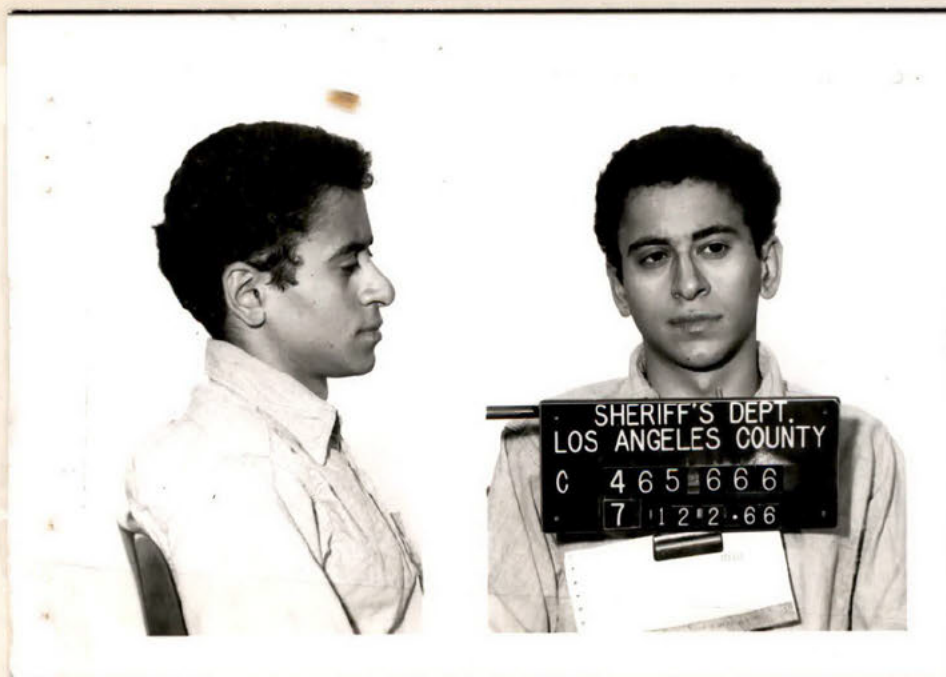
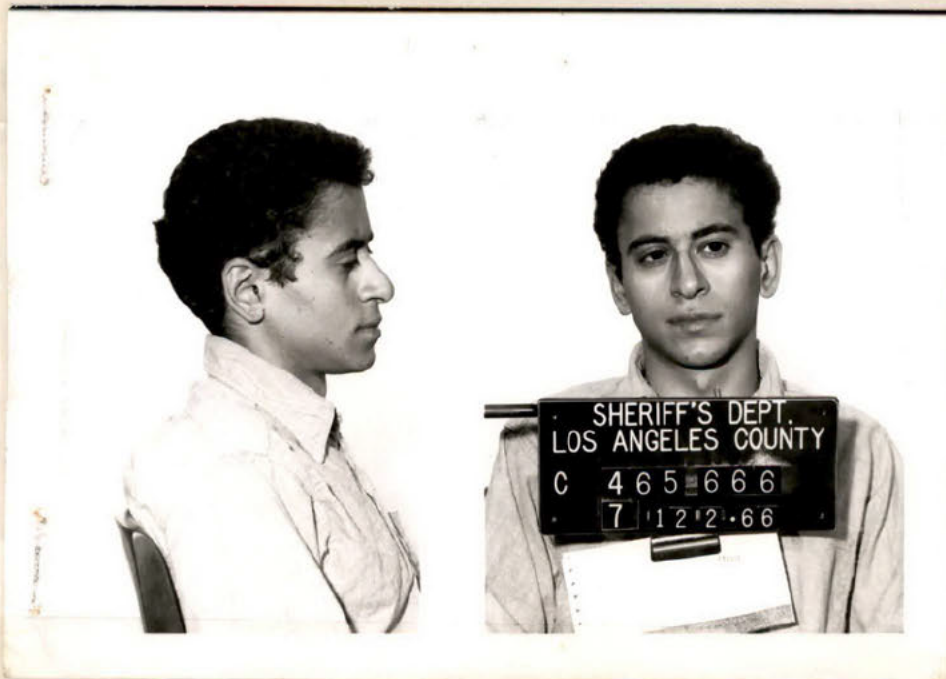
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READ THIS: "PRISONER INFORMATION" IS PRINTED ON THE BACK OF YOUR PINK COPY OF THE BOOKING & PROPERTY RECORD. YOU ARE REQUIRED TO READ AND FAMILIARIZE YOURSELF WITH THIS MATERIAL.

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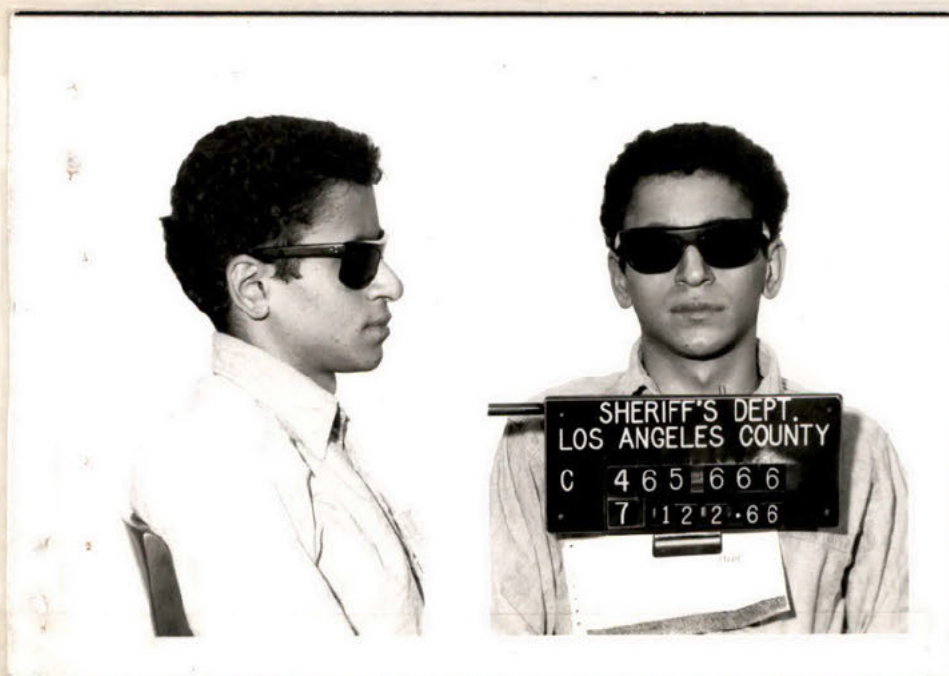
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MUNIR BISHARA SALAMEH SIRHAN

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ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	DEPARTMENT AND NUMBER	NAME	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
6-10-66	PD PASADENA 62470	MUNIR BISHARA SALAMEH SIRHAN	INV.11531 H&S, SALE OF MARIJUANA: INV.11530 H&S, POSS. MARIJUANA	
12-1-66	SO, LOS ANGELES C-465666	MUNIR BASHARA SALAMEH SIRHAN	POSS MARIJ & TRANS, IMPORT, SALE OF MARIJ	1 YR
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 WASHINGTON, D.C. 20537

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CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
PD Pasadena Calif	Munir Bishara Salameh Sirhan #62470	6-10-66	inv H&S 11530 poss of marijuana inv H&S 11531 sales of marijuana	
SO Los Angeles Calif	Munir Bishara Salameh Sirhan #C-465 666	12-1-66	poss of marijuana and trans, importation, sale etc. of marijuana	1 yr

Information shown on this Identification Record represents data furnished FBI by fingerprint contributors. Where final disposition is not shown or further explanation of charge is desired, communicate with agency contributing those fingerprints.

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SUPERIOR COURT TEMPORARY COMMITMENT

PASADENA PD

People vs. SIRHAN, MUNIR DISHARA SALAMEN Booking No. 765 666
(Last) (First) (Middle) 11530 HS et I

Case No.(s) 324984 Charge 11531 HS et II
(Show all Charges)

TO THE SHERIFF OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY:

The above-named defendant is remanded with the status indicated below:

Committed to County Jail for 1 year (as condition of 5 yrs probation)
(Period)

To Appear (Date) Dept. for (Type of Proceeding)

Bail none plus penalty assessment

THIS IS TO AUTHORIZE YOU TO HOLD THE SAID DEFENDANT PENDING FURTHER ORDER OF THE COURT.

WILLIAM G. SHARP, Clerk of the Superior Court.

Date 12-1-66

By [Signature] Dept. 45 "C"

Same sentences both counts concurrent

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

MINUTES

Department No. NORTHEAST C

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Present Hon. WILLIAM E. FOX Judge

APPEARANCES:

(Parties and Counsel checked if present.
Counsel shown opposite parties represented.)

Case No. 324984

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF
CALIFORNIA

vs

☒ MUNIR DISHARA SALAMEH SIRHAN

☐ Evelle J. Younger, District Attorney, by
Deputy

E.J. Hovden, Public Defender, by

Deputy

☒ C Hollopeter

Counts 1 and 2 CONCURRENT:

- ☒ Proceedings suspended. Probation granted for five years
- ☒ Spend first year in County Jail. ☐ Road Camp or Honor Farm Recommended.
☐ Good time allowed if earned.
- ☐ Pay fine of \$ _____ through Probation Officer in such manner as such officer shall prescribe
- ☐ Make restitution through Probation Officer in such amounts and manner as such officer shall prescribe.
- ☐ Pay any judgment arising out of this matter, when it becomes final, in such amounts and manner as Probation Officer shall prescribe.
- ☐ Abstain from all alcoholic beverages and stay out of places where they are the chief item of sale.
- ☒ Not use or possess any narcotics or narcotic paraphernalia and stay away from places where addicts congregate.
- ☒ Not associate with known narcotic users or sellers.
- ☐ Submit to periodic anti-narcotic tests as directed by the Probation Officer.
- ☐ Have no blank checks in possession, not write any portion of any checks, not have bank account upon which may draw checks.
- ☐ Not gamble or engage in any bookmaking activities or have paraphernalia thereof in possession, and not be present in places where gambling or bookmaking is conducted.
- ☐ Not associate with _____
- ☐ Stay out of places where homosexuals congregate.
- ☐ Not associate with children under 14 years except in presence of responsible adults.
- ☐ Cooperate with Probation Officer in plan for psychiatric, psychological or other treatment.
- ☒ Seek and maintain employment as approved by Probation Officer.
- ☐ Support dependents, as directed by Probation Officer.
- ☒ Maintain residence as approved by Probation Officer.
- ☐ Surrender drivers license to Clerk of Court to be returned to Department of Motor Vehicles, and not drive a motor vehicle for the first year after release from custody nor until lawfully licensed.
- ☒ Obey all laws, orders, rules and regulations of Probation Department and of the Court.

☒ Remanded ☒ Bail exonerated.

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MINUTES

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

JUVENILE COURT ON DETENTION CALENDAR

In the Matter of

MUNIR SIRHAN
19 years

a minor

No. 343777-0235062 FC

FINDINGS AND ORDER OF REFEREE

APPEARANCES:

Minor
Mother, Mary Sirhan
Brother, Adel Sirhan
Atty David C. Marcus, for minor
Deputy Probation Officer Leon
Court Reporter W. Reschman

This matter came on regularly to be heard on this date before me, a referee of this court, and evidence having been received and considered, I find:

1. That notice of this hearing has been duly given as required by law.
 2. That the allegations of the petition (as amended) filed July 13, 1967 are true, as admitted by counsel on behalf of minor and said petition is sustained.
 3. That the above named minor comes with the provisions of section 602 of the Juvenile Court Law.
 4. That minor was born on July 15, 1947.
 5. That minor's counsel represented to the Court that Judge Leopoldo Sanchez agreed to the certification of this matter. The findings of guilty in Superior Court Case Number 324984 were ordered vacated. The case was certified by Judge Noble, Pasadena Superior Court.
 6. That minor and mother waive notice of further hearing and request immediate adjudication of the petition.
- THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED AND ADJUDGED THAT:

Case is continued for disposition to the appearance calendar of

July 31, 1967, 1:45 P.M.

Certification of Case Number 324984 from the Superior Court of the State of California, Department NE A is hereby accepted.

The petition filed July 13, 1967, is amended to show the father's name and address as, "BISHARA SIRHAN - Whereabouts unknown."

Minor is detained at the Los Angeles County Jail pending further hearing.

Minor's mother is ordered to return without further notice or subpoena.

Dated: July 14, 1967
BERG:kk

Referee of Juvenile Court

Names and addresses of persons to be notified:

MINOR: L.A. County Jail

MOTHER: Mary Sirhan, 696 East Howard St., Pasadena, Calif.

ATTY: David C. Marcus, 215 W. 5th St., L.A. 13, Calif.

FINDINGS AND ORDER OF REFEREE (no Judge's signature required)
ADJUDICATION HEARING

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
JUVENILE COURT

Order Detaining Minor

IN THE MATTER OF

MUNIR SIRHAN

A MINOR

NUMBER AND AREA OFFICE

343777-0235062-FO-NEW

REASON FOR DETENTION

Section ☐ 600a, ☐ 600b,
☐ 601, ☒ 602 JCL

GOOD CAUSE APPEARING THEREFOR, IT IS ORDERED THAT THE ABOVE NAMED MINOR BE DETAINED TEMPORARILY IN

~~A JUVENILE HALL~~ *Los Angeles County Jail*

TO APPEAR IN COURT ON

31
7-21-67 PM for disposition

IN DEPARTMENT

~~OTV~~ *L.A.*

DATE

7-14-67

[Signature]

JUDGE - REFEREE OF THE JUVENILE COURT

76T301 PROB 342 - 8-66

COPY TO PLACE OF DETENTION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

500 NORTH LOS ANGELES STREET
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012

NOTICE OF ACTION BY IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE

To (Name, title and institution)
Sheriff
Los Angeles County Jail
Los Angeles, California

File No.
A10 711 879
Date
Jan. 11, 1967

Name of inmate
SIRHAN, Munir Bishara Salamen - #465 666

YOU ARE ADVISED THAT THE ACTION NOTED BELOW HAS BEEN TAKEN BY THIS SERVICE CONCERNING THE ABOVE-NAMED INMATE OF YOUR INSTITUTION:

- ☐ Investigation has been initiated to determine whether this person is subject to deportation from the U. S.
- ☒ An Order to Show Cause in deportation proceedings, ~~copy of which is attached~~, was served on _____.
- ☒ A warrant of arrest in deportation proceedings, ~~copy of which is attached~~, was served on _____.
- ☐ Deportation from the United States has been ordered.
- ☐ Investigation closed because no grounds for deportation exist at this time. Any previous hold placed by this Service should be removed.

IT IS REQUESTED THAT YOU:

- ☒ Accept this notice as a detainer.
- ☒ Notify this office at least 30 days prior to release or as much in advance as possible in order that a decision may be made as to whether this person will be taken into custody by this Service.
- ☒ Notify this office in the event of death or transfer to another institution.


Bert P. Norris
Assistant District Director
Title

Receipt acknowledged

Probable date of release:

Signature

Title

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012

May 23, 1967

AND REFER TO THIS FILE NO.

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
Central Jail
Inmate Reception Center
441 Bauchet Street
Los Angeles, California

Attention: Watch Commander

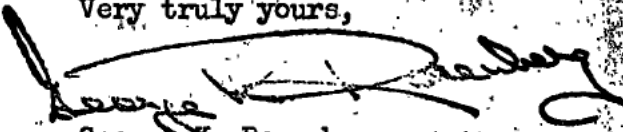
Dear Sir:

Please be informed that deportation hearings will be conducted by personnel of the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service in the cases of the following aliens:

441R Munir Bishara Salameh SIRHAN-----
441 Nicolas John Harvey WERNER-----
441S Joaquin Guillermo GONZALEZ-Labarca-----

It is requested that these inmates be brought to Parole Hearing Room 1069, Los Angeles Central Jail, on Tuesday, June 6, 1967 at 9:00 A.M. for this purpose.

Very truly yours,


George K. Rosenberg
District Director

cc: Captain Max E. Krukow
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
Central Jail
Inmate Reception Center - Room 1046
441 Bauchet Street
Los Angeles, California

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
SITTING AS A JUVENILE COURT

Dept. No. LA-JUVENILE

In the Matter of

MUNIR SIRHAN

A Person under the age of twenty-one years.

Petition No. 343777

ORDER FOR RELEASE OF MINOR

TO THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES:

This is to command you to release from custody

MUNIR SIRHAN

the above named minor in the above entitled case, for the following reasons:

MINOR ORDERED HOME ON PROBATION WITH MOTHER
release SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF JUDGE

By Beg, Referee Juvenile Court
mb Sprinkle
Signed _____
Judge or Commissioner

Dated July 31, 1967

76D741 Court Clerk Form 18A 6M 4-62

ORDER TO DETAIN OR RELEASE ALIEN

TO: (NAME and TITLE of person in charge of facility)
SHERIFF
Name of Facility
LOS ANGELES COUNTY JAIL

"A" Number
[REDACTED]
Other File Numbers

Please ☐ Detain ☒ Release the alien named below.

To INS expense 8-2-67

Name of Alien			
SIRHAN, MUNIR BISHARA SALAMEH			
Age	Sex	Race	Nationality
20	MALE	WHITE	JORDAN
Nature of Proceeding			
DEPORTATION			
Remarks			
BOOKING # 465666 ordered for 10:30 AM			
Signature of Officer directing action		Title	Station
[Signature]		Deportation Officer	Los Angeles, Cal.

The above named alien was ☐ Detained ☒ Released on (date) **8-2-67** at (time) _____

(Signature) **[Signature]** (Title) **[Signature]**

Form 1-203 (Rev. 11-1-63)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE Immigration and Naturalization Service

PLAIN TEXT

6/12/68

AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Ballistics Information
on 22 long rifles
N.Y. at 6/12/68

On 6/12/68, HAROLD F. ZIMMERMAN residence-413 Braeburn Road, Hohokus, New Jersey, Business - 7333 Woodhaven Boulevard, Queens, New York, unlisted telephone number 212-897-9094 called the New York Office.

He stated that in 1944 in Seattle, Washington, he qualified as a ballistic expert in a murder trial in which a 22 long rifle was used.

Much of the case centered on his testimony (for the defense) and the defendant was acquitted.

The defendant was an Army Corporal, Technician Fifth Grade ROSS M. EVANSTEAD. The deceased was JOHN BRANGERT. BRANGERT was murdered in 1944 in Bothell, Washington, just outside of Seattle.

ZIMMERMAN stated that murder trials involving 22 long rifles are rare and that the Government may desire to review the Seattle case as to ballistic testimony.

ZIMMERMAN added that the defense for SIRHAN SIRHAN will probably look into prior cases involving 22 long

3 Bureau
② Los Angeles (56-156)
1- New York

FLC:jrf
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FD 159
submitted

Info furnished to John Howard 6/18/69

Probably of long hit to attention of John Howard

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rifles and will find the one in Seattle, Washington, thus he thinks it will be to the Government's advantage to review that case as there are certain points in it pertaining to ballistics that were favorable to the defense and which the defense for SIRHAN SIRHAN may be able to apply.

ZIMMERMAN did not know the exact court in Seattle, Washington, in which the trial took place. He thinks it was a county court.

RECORD OF INFORMATION FURNISHED OTHER AGENCIES

Orally _____ date _____ By Telephone 6/19/68 date _____ Written Communication _____ date _____

Information concerning:

KENSALT

Information furnished from File, Serial, and Page Number:

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Information furnished was obtained:

☐ during course of Bureau investigation

☐ from informants

☒ from complainants or other sources

Information furnished to:

John Howard LA District Attorney office

Number of items disseminated: 1

Remarks:

*Information from individual who
said was ballistic expert and
named trial in Battle Wm where
ballistic information involving .22 Caliber
ammunition used.*

Amedee O. Richards Jr.
Special Agent

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/18/68

FROM : SA THOMAS G. MANSFIELD

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re: 56-156-476

On 6/14/68, ~~LORENA KURTZ~~, 4110 Monroe Street, Los Angeles, was interviewed by SA's THOMAS G. MANSFIELD and JAMES E. WHITE.

KURTZ stated she called FBI Headquarters, Washington, D. C., on 6/7/68. At the time of her call to Washington she added she was very distressed over the death of Senator KENNEDY. She continued she is presently under a doctor's care for treatment of nervous spasms. She added she has no information to furnish that her next door neighbor is a friend of an individual who conspired with SIRHAN. KURTZ said this is a false statement. KURTZ agreed that she made such a statement, however, she repeated she was very upset when she made this statement.

KURTZ continued that until 6/9/68, she had neighbors residing at 4108 Monroe Street who were of Arabic nationality. This family consisted of a man and wife and two children; a girl age 10 and a boy age eight years. She does not know the names of this family. She was exhibited a photograph of SIRHAN and advised she has never observed SIRHAN at the residence at 4108 Monroe Street and she has no reason to believe that this family is acquainted with SIRHAN or is acquainted with an individual who conspired with SIRHAN to kill Senator KENNEDY.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

FROM : SA ^Richard H. Ross

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/18/68

Complaint taken by Philip S. Andrist, dated 6-10-68
at 10:39am, ~~SERIAL 464~~.

On 5/18/68, Mrs. IONA GOODMAN, operator, Mentor Cafe, 40 N. Mentor, Pasadena advised that ~~SIRHAN SIRHAN~~ had not been a regular customer at her cafe. She advised that she had hear a rumor of that nature and had told persons it was not true. Mrs. GOODMAN advised that a young cuban boy who had dark complexion may have been mistaken for Sirhan but that right now everyone in Pasadena would rather believe they had seen SIRHAN SIRHAN.

MRS. GOODMAN advised that she could provide no further information about SIRHAN ~~SIRHAN~~.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/18/68

FROM : SA WILLIAM R. WHITLEY

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/14/68, SAs WILLIAM R. WHITLEY and GENE L. DONAGHEY re-interviewed Mrs. CAROL BRESHEARS, who was the co-ordinator for the "KENNEDY girls". The interview was in reference to a reporter from Newsweek magazine calling her on the day after ROBERT F. KENNEDY was killed seeking the identity of a red headed KENNEDY girl worker who supposedly saw SIRHAN ejected from the kitchen of the Ambassador Hotel.

In interviewing BRESHEARS she stated in reference to the reporter the name (FNU) THOMAS seems to occupy her thoughts as being the name of the reporter. She stated, however, she could not be positive of this.

In addition she furnished the following names of KENNEDY girls who have red hair and who could possibly have been the girl in question:

~~AUDREY ABLEN~~ - 1741 Camden Ave., W. Los Angeles
Tel. No. 478-2333. Employed
UCLA Alumni Association. Tel. No.
478-9711 Ex. 4641

~~JENNY ZIGLAR~~ - 821 E. Harvard Road, Burbank
Tel. No. 846-3071

~~KATHIE WEISS~~ - 209 S. Crescent Dr., Beverly Hills
Tel. No. CR5-7659

~~WENDY LYNN GRAY~~ - 621 North Linden Dr., Beverly
Hills. Tel. No. 275-8581

~~SHERRY MARKS~~ - 12309 Tigrina, Los Angeles
Tel. No. 943-6423

~~JOSIE GONZALES~~ - 611 No. Cornwall St., Los Angeles
Tel. No. 477-9511 Ex. 611
Employed LASO MA6-9511

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~~STELLE GONZALES - 401 S. Mariposa Ave., Los Angeles. Employed LACO Office of County Counsel Tel. No. MA5-3611~~

~~MIDGE JAY - 5816 Commanchee Ave., Woodland Hills Tel. No. 346-8563~~

~~EILEEN ALBERT - 10583 Holman Ave., Los Angeles Tel. No. 279-1159~~

LEAD:

It is suggested that the Los Angeles Office of Newsweek Magazine be contacted in an effort to identify the reporter in question and thereafter interview the reporter as to the source of his information regarding the "red head".

If, however, this lead proves fruitless, in order to resolve the matter completely sufficient personnel should be assigned to locate and interview the above listed "red heads" and thereafter interview each to determine if she observed SIRHAN ejected from the kitchen area on the night in question.

~~Remainder of report is classified.~~

File only *O*

RICHARD B. COTTEN, aka
RICHARD B. COTTON

Sergeant GERALD DODD, Kern County Sheriff's Office, Bakersfield, Calif. advised in March 1965 that RICHARD B. COTTEN was a white male, native Californian, married, 48-50 years of age, a 10 year resident of Bakersfield, who published "The Conservative Viewpoint," P.O. Box 1976, Bakersfield, Calif. He also prepared tapes for various radio stations which are broadcast throughout the United States. His newspaper and tapes were generally full of hate propaganda, and he hated Jews, Negroes, and Communists.

On 3/28/65, THOMAS MOODY, Miami, Fla., Section leader of the John Birch Society (JBS) made available to the Miami ^{FBI} office a leaflet from the JBS, dated 2/25/65, over the signature of its founder, ROBERT WELCH, wherein COTTEN was criticized, and reasons were set forth for not supporting his anti-communist program, one reason being COTTEN's alleged support of the "Minutemen." It was noted therein that COTTEN had formerly been a member of the JBS in Bakersfield but had resigned.

On 6/23/65, COTTEN sent a communication to the ^{FBI} Director on his "Conservative Viewpoint" letterhead in which he defends his radio broadcast statements made on behalf of the "Minutemen" organization, and expressed an interest in hearing from the Director.

On 3/29/68, ALBERT A. WORTTMAN, Program Editor, Radio Station KTYM, Inglewood, Calif., advised that a forthcoming

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broadcast of a taped commentary by RICHARD COTTEN, who was described by WORTTMAN as an extreme right wing radical, dealt with a letter read by ~~Robert De Pugh~~ COTTEN from ROBERT DE PUGH of the "Minutemen", and that COTTEN's commentary was not complimentary to Federal Government agencies.

The "Kansas City Star" newspaper of 3/3/67 (as set out in Kansas City Summary report, 8/17/67, page 9, captioned "Minutemen") indicated that RICHARD B. COTTEN then resided in Shreveport, Louisiana, having participated in the Patriotic Party Convention in Kansas City, on 7/2/67.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/19/68

FROM : SA WILLIAM L. BOURQUE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/10/68, ~~FULLERTON GROVE MC CHESNEY~~, 511 West Orange Grove, Sierra Madre, California, advised that on 6/4/68 he went to the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, California. MC CHESNEY arrived at approximately 8:30 a.m. and left at approximately 12:30 p.m. After viewing a picture of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, he stated that he did not know this individual and he did not see him at the range. MC CHESNEY did state, however, that he met a friend, ~~CHARLIE ALLENBACH~~, who resides in Eagle Rock, California, at the range that date.

LEAD

LOS ANGELES

AT EAGLE ROCK, CALIFORNIA: Will locate and interview ~~ALLENBACH~~ to determine whether he saw SIRHAN at the range on 6/4/68 and any other information he may have regarding SIRHAN.

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Interviewed?

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date June 17, 1968

EDWARD HUGH POLE was interviewed at the El Paso County Jail, Colorado Springs, Colorado. On this occasion, POLE described himself as follows:

Date of Birth	May 25, 1941
Place of Birth	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Height	5'9½"
Weight	160 pounds
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Blue
Marital Status	Separated from wife
Wife	KATHLEEN KRAFT, age 22, street address unknown, Phoenixville, Pennsylvania
Son	One son, 22 months
Permanent Address	Route #1, Box 257, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Parents	Deceased

POLE stated he has resided at Colorado Springs for the past six months, residing at 117 South Limit Street, and has been employed by the El Paso Garage, Security, Colorado, as an auto mechanic.

POLE advised that on June 13, 1968, he pled guilty to a charge of forgery involving the theft of a payroll check from his employer and expects to receive an extensive sentence to the Colorado State Penitentiary, Canon City, Colorado. He pointed out he was previously convicted in July, 1961, U. S. District Court, Lake Charles, Louisiana, for a violation of the Dyer Act. He stated under the Federal Youth Corrections Act, he received a sentence of 60 days to 6 years. He pointed out he served 29 months at the Federal Reformatory, Chillicothe, Ohio; was paroled; violated his parole four months later; was sent back to Chillicothe and served approximately one year; again was released on parole; was out 7 months; violated his parole again; and on December 31, 1966, was incarcerated at the Lewisburg, Pennsylvania, Federal Penitentiary, from which he was released after completion of his

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Denver 62-2416

On 6/14/68 at Colorado Springs, Colorado File # 62-2416

Date dictated 6/14/68

by SA ALVIN W. BERRY;
SA RANSOM A. WHITTLE:pmb

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

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sentence on July 19, 1967.

He stated that on or about Memorial Day, 1967, he was in the dining hall at the Lewisburg Federal Penitentiary and at the table next to him was JAMES HOFFA, who was talking to the two following-described individuals:

#1:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American, of Italian descent
Name	Unknown
Age	55-58 years of age
Height & Weight	Approximately the same height and weight as JAMES HOFFA

He pointed out that this man used to run at the prison track with Mr. HOFFA.

#2:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American, of Italian descent
Name	(FIRST NAME UNKNOWN) deJOSEPH
Age	Early 40's
Height	5'10"
Build	Heavy build
Peculiarities	Heavy, dark beard even after shaving

He stated on this occasion, he overheard HOFFA state to these two individuals that, "I have a contract out on KENNEDY and if he ever gets in the primaries or ever gets elected, the contract will be fulfilled within six months." He pointed out that sitting with him, POLE, and who also overheard this conversation, were the following individuals:

#1:

Name	<u>JAMES JOSEPH O'BRIEN</u>
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O'BRIEN was being transferred in June, 1967, to the Federal Penitentiary in Atlanta, Georgia.

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#2:

Name	Unknown
Sex	Male
Race	White
Nationality	American
Age	Early 30's
Height	5'8"
Build	Slender
Hair	Black

He stated this individual had robbed a bank at Cleveland, Ohio; had been at Lewisburg for seven years; had been paroled; and after two years on the outside, had violated his parole and was back at Lewisburg. He pointed out this individual resided in D cellblock and was originally from St. Louis, Missouri, and would have been eligible for parole back to St. Louis about the present time.

Approximately two weeks after this conversation, POLE stated he was working in the clothing store and was there early in the morning prior to the store opening, and that JAMES HOFFA came to the gate. Recalling the prior conversation, he asked HOFFA what he thought about KENNEDY. He stated HOFFA immediately began an emotional tirade over KENNEDY's use of wire-tapping and HOFFA's conviction, and incarceration at Lewisburg. He ended the conversation by stating, "Right now KENNEDY's in no danger; but if he gets into a primary or gets elected, I won't say how or when, but he'll get knocked off." POLE stated there were no witnesses to this conversation,

POLE advised that in view of HOFFA's power and influence in this country, he feared for his life and under no circumstances would he testify to the above information.

Director, FBI

6/17/68

SAC, Denver (62-2416)

KENSALT
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(OO: LOS ANGELES)

Re Denver airtel to the Bureau 6/14/68, cc's Atlanta, Los Angeles, Philadelphia and St. Louis.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are 9 copies, and for Atlanta, Philadelphia and St. Louis 2 copies each of FD-302 interview with EDWARD HUGH POLE.

One copy of FD-302 enclosed for information of Bureau.

Offices conduct logical investigation regarding page 2 of reairtel, UACB.

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② - Los Angeles (Encls 9)
2 - Philadelphia (Encls 2)
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cc to Sub section OK

with my letter head to follow

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : *R* ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At 1:52 PM, 6/10/68, BILL STOUT, CBS News, telephone OL 1-2345, called concerning records which were obtained from the Kennedy for President Campaign Headquarters, 5615 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California. STOUT stated he had an interest in checking a particular name, which he did not care to divulge, through these records and wanted to know when they would be returned. STOUT was advised that this matter would be looked into and if he desired to call back later he would be so advised.

At approximately 4:30 PM, 6/10/68, STOUT recontacted the writer and was advised that the records were in fact being analyzed and would be returned to the Kennedy for President Campaign Headquarters sometime on Wednesday, 6/12/68. STOUT expressed appreciation for the prompt handling of his request and the phone conversation was terminated.

Note:

For information, the records in question were obtained on 6/8/68 by SA RICHARD P. DOUCETTE from MARGUERITE SWEENEY, volunteer coordinator of the Kennedy for President Committee. An appropriate FD-302 was prepared for inclusion in a subsequent report in LA 56-156.

*Records from Kennedy
Campaign Headquarters
re: Bill Stout
request*
RDR: cea
(1) *cea*

B. MULLEN Jr

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/18/68

FROM : SA ALLEN K. TOLEN

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/18/68 GENE RAMOS, 2901 West Vernon, Los Angeles, California was interviewed concerning his presence at the Ambassador Hotel on June 4, 1968. RAMOS advised that he did not attend the victory speech of Senator KENNEDY at the Embassy Room, but watched the speech on Television in the PALM ROOM with his wife JACKIE across the main lobby from the EMBASSY ROOM.

RAMOS furnished the following names of individuals who he saw at the Ambassador Hotel on the evening of June 4, 1968, who were known to him.

✓ FRED D. PARROTT, M.D.
1704 W. Manchester Ave.
Los Angeles, Calif.
Tele. # 750-0590

See Ser 682 Boncetti

✓ SAM STRAIN
4076 South Crenshaw
Los Angeles, California
Tele. # 293-5327

Baker

Interviewed DA
IRIS MENIER (Mrs IRIS R. MENIER)
620 South Sloan
Compton, California

dit 7/22
(RAMOS advised that he heard that IRIS SLOANS husband ROSS SLOAN was one of the individuals who rode in the Ambulance that took Senator KENNEDY to the Central Receiving Hospital.)

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Copied
LEON RAPH (LEON D. RAPH)
103rd St. in Watts
near Willowbrook

dit 7/22
(RAPH running for Assemblyman, 55th district)

628921
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RICHARD PERCY WILLIAMS (FNU) WILLIAMS, possibly (WILLIAMS who was running for Assemblyman 63rd District, it was his brother. brother of the Assemblyman, who he observed at the Ambassador Hotel)
Covered 7/31/68
FRANK WILLIAMS

LEADS

Will interview the above individuals, who were believed to be at the Ambassador Hotel, on June 4, 1968, re any information they may be able to furnish concerning caption matter. 56-156-710

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/18/68

FROM : SA JOHN F. MORRISON

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re: serial 215

Above SA was interviewing JACK WEINGARTEN re lead #1 & 2 set forth in re serial. Mr. WEINGARTEN said his son JOEL was at the Ambassador Hotel on the night that Senator KENNEDY was shot.

JOEL WEINGARTEN was interviewed by above SA on 6/18/68. '302 is in dictation. JOEL said he was at the Hotel with two other friends of his, NATHAN HELFMAN who resides in Van Nuys and MAXINE OTCHIO, 5414 Simpson, North Hollywood.

LEAD

Will interview MAXINE OTCHIO re her knowledge of the events that took place at the Ambassador Hotel on 6/4-5/68 and through her obtain the address of NATHAN HELFMAN. Will also interview HELFMAN.

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John Morrison

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA STANLEY W. MILLER

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Mrs. GRACE BRYAN, 8450 West Mission Drive, Rosemead, California, has advised that ELEANOR ANDREW, 946 Jane Place, Pasadena, California, is employed during the day by an unknown laundry firm in Pasadena. She also works for this laundry on Saturdays. Mrs. BRYAN furnished a home telephone number of 799-2016 for ELEANOR ANDREW.

An attempt was made to contact Mrs. ANDREW at her residence with negative results.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Telephonically contact Mrs. ANDREW at the above number so an appointment can be made to interview her, as she is a member of the Ancient Mystical Order of Rosae Crucis and was in attendance at their meeting on 5/28/68.

Rosacrucians

Mrs. Andrew telephonically contacted 9:45 pm, 6/14. She stated she would be available at 946 JANE Place, Pasadena (between Fair Oaks and Pasadena Ave.) after 4:15 pm on Saturday 6/15/68.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SA JAMES E. WHITE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re complaint received by IC RICHARD T. VOYLES,
6/12/68, serial 492.

On 6/17/68, JAMES WELING, Supervisor, Complaint Department, Travelers Insurance Company, 3600 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, advised that at one time SHARIEF BISHARA SIRHAN had a policy with the company. WILLIAM R. HARMON, Claim Adjuster, actually handled the account.

WILLIAM R. HARMON advised that SHARIEF filed a claim against the company for personal injuries and property damage resulting from an automobile accident. Before this claim was settled SHARIEF was arrested by the Pasadena Police Department on a charge that he had sabotaged the brake system and placed gun powder on the engine of an automobile which belonged to a former girl friend. HARMON believes that SHARIEF also threatened the agent in Pasadena who handled his insurance, one BOB LLOYD, Lloyd Company, Telephone 449-0600.

SHARIEF was involved in an automobile accident with three other cars on May 15, 1963. One automobile was not damaged and the occupant made no claim. SHARIEF claimed property damage, and substantial medical injuries. He employed as his attorney one HOWARD C. ERICKSON, 104 S. Glendora Avenue, West Covina, California. The company settled with SHARIEF for \$3,000.00 on 12/4/65, for his medical injuries.

Company records reveal that SHARIEF resided at 1711 Corsen Street, Pasadena, California, operated a 1958 Impala, Calif. registration JKW 647, was employed by the Southern California Baptist Convention, 816 South Figueroa, as a bookkeeper, entered the United States in 1960, and for a short time attended Pasadena City College.

SIRHAN SIRHAN is not insured by the Company.

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The records of the company reveal that as a result of the accident SHARIEF claimed that he hit his head on the windshield, and as a result suffered bad headaches and blurred vision. He was examined by GRANT BALDING, MD, 101 South Madison, Pasadena, California, who found him to be an uncooperative patient and suggested that he have a neurological examination on May 21, 1963.

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Date June 15, 19681

JAMES J. DUNN, also known as JIM DUNN, Apartment 55, 900 Todhunter Avenue, Elyte, California, was interviewed in the Sacramento Field Office. DUNN advised that he had been a member of the late Senator KENNEDY's staff from April 3, 1968, until KENNEDY's death. He stated he was a member of the press staff and handled all radio news releases and generally recorded all of the Senator's speeches. He stated that during the election night, he was stationed behind the curtains. As the Senator was nearing the end of his speech, he asked which way the Senator and his party was going to go and he said someone told him they were going to exit to the left. He said he had no idea of where the door to the left leaded but when KENNEDY finished his speech, he went by the door and signaled to the group that was with KENNEDY they were to go to the left and, instead, they all went to the right. He stated that as far as he knew, there had not been any last minute changes following the Senator's victory speech and he had no idea who might have called the press conference.

DUNN stated that he was probably seven or eight people in back of the group with the Senator and he heard five shots and at the time he was positive that they were shots, not anything else. He stated that after that he got up close, saw the Senator was down, and he tried to keep people away and get them out and he has very little recollection of what else might have happened during that particular period. He stated that after they had removed Senator KENNEDY, he went up to his room and stayed there for a day and a half.

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by SA RONALD O. STAMP:km Date dictated 6/15/68

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : *[Handwritten initials]* SAC, SACRAMENTO (62-76)(P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/15/68

Re Los Angeles teletype to Sacramento, 6/15/68.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are nine (9) copies of
FD-302 regarding interview with JAMES J. DUNN.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA DAVID R. PENDER

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/17/68

Re FD-302 of Miss CAROLINE MARY PETTINATO.

PETTINATO appeared at the Ambassador Hotel and related a story told to her by JOHN WRIGHT, in which WRIGHT stated that he was a witness to the shooting of Senator KENNEDY. PETTINATO also stated that WRIGHT told her that he was an employee of the Ambassador Hotel and that he worked in the kitchen as a kitchen reporter the night of the shooting of Senator KENNEDY.

The following investigation was conducted to determine the veracity of Miss PETTINATO's statements:

On 6/13/68, Mrs. HELEN LAZUR, Personnel Clerk at the Ambassador Hotel, reviewed her files under the name of JOHN WRIGHT. Mrs. LAZUR advised that no JOHN WRIGHT was presently working at the Ambassador Hotel and that no JOHN WRIGHT had worked there in at least the last seven years. LAZUR further advised that there are only two WRIGHTs presently working at the Ambassador Hotel, DANIEL and DEO, and that they are both white males.

LAZUR furnished the file on former employee JACK WRIGHT. It contained the following information:

1. Employment Application

Date	2/28/62
Name	JACK WRIGHT
Address	715 South Hope Street Los Angeles, California Room 1041
Social Security No.	[REDACTED]
Telephone	MA 7-4751
Height	5'11"

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See Ser 1376 for 302

Also write of Jack Wright

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Weight	148 pounds
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	7/10/20
Hair	Black
Eyes	Brown
Education	Three years, West Virginia State
Employment	Hotel Clark 5th and Hill Two years (length of employment) Left 1959 Shampoo Man and Houseman; Hollywood Plaza 1637 North Vine Eight months (length of employment) Left 1961 Houseman; Lankershim 7th and Broadway Five months (length of employment) Left 1962 Houseman
Notify in Emergency	Mrs. K. WATTS Care of P. O. Box 184 McVeish, Kentucky
Other	Union Member Hotel Service Employees Local No. 765 2200 West 7th

2. A letter from the Hollywood Plaza, 1637 North Vine, stated that WRIGHT was employed at the Plaza from 2/3/61, to 8/26/61, and that he was discharged for drinking on the job.

3. WRIGHT was employed at the Ambassador Hotel from 3/1/62, until 12/26/62. His job was Grove Maintenance for the Housekeeping Department and he earned \$11 a day. WRIGHT walked off the job on 12/26/62, and he has not been employed since then by the Ambassador Hotel.

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On 6/13/68, the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) advised that in connection with their investigation of the shooting of Senator ROBERT KENNEDY, their file showed no record of a person by the name of JOHN WRIGHT being interviewed by any of their personnel.

On 6/13/68, KARL UECKER, Assistant Maitre d' at the Ambassador Hotel, advised that there is no such position at the hotel as a kitchen reporter. UECKER advised that he had never heard of a JOHN WRIGHT. UECKER stated that if anyone worked in the kitchen, he would fall under one of five categories -- Steward, Chef, Banquet Houseman, Bar Employee, or Cashier.

The following persons advised that, to their knowledge, no JOHN WRIGHT had ever worked in their department: and all were sure that no JOHN WRIGHT had worked for them in the last six months:

PABLO GUERRERO
Assistant Steward

VESTA MORELLO
Chef's Department

JOE HRUDKA
Assistant Chef

ERNIE RODRIGUEZ
Steward

BENITO ACOSTA
Head Banquet Houseman

BOB SALCEDO
Bar Manager

JEAN ABSTON
Head of Cashiers and Checkers

LEAD

Interview Mr. HOMDER, Desk Clerk at the Hope Hotel, 7th and Hope Streets, Los Angeles, regarding his knowledge of the statements made by Miss PETTINATO regarding JOHN WRIGHT.

1340 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles, California 90017
June 17, 1968

Mr. Guy H. Spaman
Special Agent in Charge
U. S. Secret Service
U. S. Treasury Department
P. O. Box 567
Los Angeles, California 90053

Dear Sir: Attention: Special Agent Tony Sherman

This will confirm a conversation on this date between your office and Special Agent Vincent J. Horn, Jr., of this office in which you were advised of bomb threats made by Stephen Dale Ahern in March 1968.

Mr. Ahern's statement to the FBI is attached, as well as additional background information on Ahern.

Very truly yours,

WESLEY G. GRAPP
Special Agent in Charge

Enclosure

cc. Region Commander (Enclosure) (Attention: Elmer Kovalchic)
Region II
115th MI Group
P. O. Bin 22
Pasadena, California 91109

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)
FROM: *WJS* SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
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Copies of the photographs made by free lance
photographer PETER SPENCER BERKSON being made and will be
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From: Director, FBI

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Enclosed for WFO and New York is copy of State telegram 6/14/68 concerning subject who is not identifiable in Bufiles. Information contained in State's communication is based on anonymous letter which was turned over to U. S. Embassy, Cairo, by Spanish Consul General, Alexandria, UAR. This information alleges that subject is a UAR spy and friend of Sirhan B. Sirhan and entered U. S. 1/1/68 from Lebanon.

WFO check INS for any available data concerning subject. WFO and New York contact established reliable sources in an effort to determine if subject entered U.S., current whereabouts and activities. Recipients furnish results in form suitable for dissemination and WFO incorporate pertinent data in State's communication as predication. Afford this matter prompt attention in view of the allegation of espionage and friendship with Sirhan.

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CONSUL GENERAL ALEXANDRIA:

QUOTE

ALEXANDRIA THE 11 JUNE 1968

DEAR SIR GENERAL CONSUL

I HAVE THE HONOUR TO INFORM THE SPANISH GENERAL CONSULATE
TO INFORM THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT QUICKLY THE FOLLOWING:

THE EGYPTIAN NATIONALITY NAMED (AZIZ TAOUFIK AZIZ MIKHAIL)
AGE 25 WAS WORKING IN THE EGYPTIAN INTELLIGENCE SERVICE
POLICE TILL 31/11/1967 SO AFTER THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT HE
SENT HIM FOR BUSINESS TO LIBANON IN ORDER TO GO FROM THERE TO
AMERIKA BECAUSE EGYPTIAN CANNOT BE GO TO AMERIKA FROM EGYPT,
AND SO HE WENT TO LIBANON AND FROM LIBANON HE ARRIVED TO
AMERIKA ON THE 1/1/1968 BY AIR MAIL AND KNOW DOING THAT IS
WORKING THERE BUT IS A SPY OF THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT AND THE
MOST IMPORTANT AND DANGEROUS IS THAT THOW PERSON WAS A FRIEND
OF SARHAN BUSHARA SARHAN WHICH HAS KILLED MR. ROBERT KENNEDY
SO I HAVE THE HONOUR TO INFORM THE SPANISH GENERAL CONSULATE
TO SENT DETAILS TO AMERICAN GOVERNMENT AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE
IN ORDER THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT BE CARE FROM THIS DANGEROUS
PERSON, AND FROM ANY THING CAN BE HAPPEN AFTER AND THE ADRESS
WHICH IS KNOW SITTING IN AMERIKA IS EXACTLY AS FOLLOWS:

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L.A. CALIFORNIA 90064
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Date 6/14/681.

Colonel JOHN H. GLENN, Room 1001, Sheraton Boston Hotel, advised that he was an aide in the campaign of Senator ROBERT KENNEDY in the California primary election. He stated that he was in an upstairs suite at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles, California, when Senator KENNEDY was shot in the early morning of June 5, 1968. Colonel GLENN stated he did not see the captured gunman on that occasion nor did he recognize SIRHAN B. SIRHAN from photographs as an individual he had ever seen previously on any occasion.

Colonel GLENN stated that the only significant change he could recall in connection with Senator KENNEDY's plans was on June 4, 1968. The original plans were that he would spend the night of June 3-4, 1968, at the Ambassador Hotel. However, after a complete day of campaigning on June 3, 1968, which ended in San Diego, California, KENNEDY returned to the Ambassador Hotel late that evening and departed soon afterwards for the Malibu Beach residence of movie director JOHN FRANKENHEIMER. KENNEDY and several of his party spent the following day at Malibu Beach and returned to the Ambassador Hotel around 8:00 PM, June 4, 1968.

Colonel GLENN could recall no other significant changes in regard to Senator KENNEDY's itinerary.

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by SA JAMES E. HARVEY /lz Date dictated 6/14/68

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES
FROM: SAC, BOSTON (44-646)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Houston tel to Director, and Boston, 6/13/68.

Enclosed herewith are nine copies of an FD-302
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JOHN W. GALLIVAN, JR., also known as JACK and "CHAMP" advised he is a resident of 17th South 12th East, Salt Lake City, Utah, telephone 363-0545. Mr. GALLIVAN advised that in recent years he has been in regular travel status and has no permanent address, however, the above address is that of his father and mother and he can be reached through them in time. Mr. GALLIVAN advised his father, JOHN W. GALLIVAN, SR., is the publisher of the Salt Lake City Tribune, the morning newspaper.

Mr. GALLIVAN advised he had been in constant travel status as a member of the Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY staff since April 1, 1968. He has been employed in the position of Advance Man. He advised that in this capacity he has done extensive travelling throughout the United States in behalf of the Presidential Candidacy of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

On Monday, June 3, 1968, Mr. GALLIVAN was in San Francisco, California, with the KENNEDY staff and there joined the Kennedy party at the San Francisco Municipal Airport about 2:00 PM at the American Airlines Maintenance Base. He advised that following the period when the staff assembled the Kennedy plane left the San Francisco Airport and travelled to Long Beach Airport or to the Los Angeles International Airport, the exact place not recalled. He advised that he had spent time in and about Los Angeles travelling in motorcades with the Presidential Candidate until approximately 7:30 or 8:00 PM on June 3, 1968, following which time the group had returned to the Kennedy plane at the airport.

According to GALLIVAN he and JERRY BRUNO, the Senator's personal Advance Man, or Chief Advance Man, left the party and went to the Ambassador Hotel, making a brief stop at the Kennedy Headquarters en route, along Wilshire Boulevard in Los Angeles. He advised that he and BRUNO registered at the Ambassador and had dinner at the Hotel. BRUNO then went to his room

On 6/14/68 at Salt Lake City, Utah File # Salt Lake City 62-722-694
by SA JOHN W. CROFTS, JR./srs Date dictated JUN 18 1968
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for the night and GALLIVAN went to the bar where he visited with friends until approximately 1:30 AM, Tuesday, June 4, 1968. He then returned to his hotel room.

GALLIVAN advised that he and others of the Kennedy staff had relaxed around the hotel during most of the day on June 4, 1968, until approximately 7:30 PM. He advised that at this time he met PETE SMITH, who was Senator KENNEDY's Advance Man for the day. He advised that he and SMITH went to the 5th floor suite at the Ambassador Hotel where the KENNEDYS and their friends were having a party. He advised that members of the press and family and close personal associates were there and they socialized and watched the television proceedings and television returns concerning the election of that day. Mr. GALLIVAN advised that at about 11:15 or 11:30 PM it appeared that the time had arrived for Senator KENNEDY's appearance in the Ambassador Hotel ballroom. He stated that the group assembled in the room, left the room with the Senator and went to the 5th floor elevator. He advised that he had been with an individual known only to him as "UNO" last name unknown. He stated that UNO was a hotel employee whom he had engaged to show him around the hotel and assist him in directing the Senator from various places within the building.

GALLIVAN advised that he had arranged for the elevator to be held on the 5th floor for Senator KENNEDY and party and when the group arrived they got in the elevator. He stated that Senator KENNEDY inquired as to whether or not this elevator would go into the lobby and on learning that it was the lobby elevator the Senator stated something to the effect that "I don't want to go through the lobby, I would rather go through the back way." Mr. GALLIVAN advised that he was certain there was no thought at that time concerning KENNEDY's safety, but that KENNEDY had been fighting large crowds, was tired, and did not wish to expose himself to another large crowd before his talk.

Mr. GALLIVAN advised that when Senator KENNEDY desired to go a different route UNO directed the group to a nearby elevator which was a service elevator and the group entered the elevator and went down to the ballroom level. GALLIVAN advised that as they left the elevator he, GALLIVAN, followed UNO and the party, including Senator KENNEDY, followed him. He stated they went out of the elevator and into a hotel work area en route to the ballroom. He stated he was not watching Senator KENNEDY, but was going ahead of the party and clearing people out of the way. Mr. GALLIVAN advised that he and Senator KENNEDY's party entered the ballroom from a door near the side of the platform. GALLIVAN stated that he had stepped aside and allowed Senator KENNEDY, his wife, and other dignitaries to take the platform. He stated he then entered the platform himself, made some arrangements with the news media to obtain photographs of ETHEL KENNEDY, and then left the platform as it was very crowded.

GALLIVAN advised that as the Senator made his statement, he, GALLIVAN, had left the area with UNO as UNO was to show him the press room where Senator KENNEDY would be taken for an interview following his appearance on the platform. He advised they located the press room and then returned to the speaker's platform where Senator KENNEDY was still making his remarks. Mr. GALLIVAN stated that he looked the situation over trying to decide whether to take the Senator off the backside of the platform or off the side of the platform from which they had entered. He stated that he, GALLIVAN, made the decision to return from the same side as they had come in. He pointed out that either the back way or the side way would have entered a common area behind the platform and this would have had no effect on movement, but it was only a more convenient route for the Senator's party. GALLIVAN advised that when Senator KENNEDY completed his speech the party made the exit from the side and that he, GALLIVAN, does not know in which order they left.

the platform as he was ahead of the party and clearing the way. He advised that he had been accompanied by UNO. He stated he led the party through a long, narrow room, which appeared to be a staging area for the kitchen. He advised this room contained numerous vending machines and other types of kitchen equipment. He advised there were people standing around this space, but he does not recall who they were and could only recall them as possibly being hotel employees. He stated he was about 20-25 feet ahead of the KENNEDY party and there were perhaps a dozen people between he and the Senator. He stated that there was a large crowd around and following the Senator as he entered this passageway. GALLIVAN stated that there was no question in his mind as to the safety of Senator KENNEDY and instead of a spirit of tight security there was a spirit of relaxation and celebration due to the KENNEDY victory.

GALLIVAN advised that as he walked ahead he heard several shots behind him. He stated he turned around and saw some movement and commotion in the crowd but could not discern what was going on. He stated he saw BILL BARRY, KENNEDY's security man, lunge for something. He stated he noticed BARRY because he is a large man and could be seen above the crowd. He stated he, GALLIVAN, ran towards the Senator and saw him lying face up on the floor. He stated there were people bending over him, but the identity of these people he could not recall. He stated he did recall the Senator's wife was at the Senator's side.

GALLIVAN advised he turned toward BARRY, who was to his right, and noticed he was struggling with a Latin-looking young man of a small build. He advised that BARRY had the man pushed and pinned against the counter. GALLIVAN said he yelled to BARRY to "take care of the Senator, I can handle him." At this time BARRY released the man and ran toward the Senator and he, GALLIVAN, attempted to take the man and hold him. He stated at this time there was a continuous struggle to restrain the man and he recalls GEORGE PLIMPTON, a friend of the

Senator, joining in the struggle. He stated that as he grabbed the man he saw a small revolver laying on the counter, next to the man, and the man reached for and grabbed it in his hand about the same time that he, GALLIVAN, saw the gun. He stated that as he grabbed for the gun he cut the palm of his hand on the hammer of the revolver, but was successful in keeping the gun immobilized until someone else moved in and helped control the situation. GALLIVAN said that he tried to take away the gun, but was unable to do so, but merely concentrated on keeping the man immobilized until such time the police could arrive. He advised that he also felt an obligation to protect the unknown individual who was being beat on and choked by others in the crowd, the names of whom he was unable to provide. He advised that ROOSEVELT GRIER, a friend of the Senator and also a security man, came up to the place where he was holding the individual, at which time he heard someone say, "Let ROSEY take the gun," which he did. He stated that GRIER took control of the man and he pulled away from the action and went back to where Senator KENNEDY was laying on the floor. He stated that Mrs. KENNEDY was there among others and at this time he and BILL BARRY made a futile attempt to clear the area of people.

He stated he was about to get the people away from the Senator and at this time the situation stayed almost in a state of no change until such time as the ambulance and police arrived. He advised that they then took control. GALLIVAN advised that he had never seen the suspect before in his travels throughout the United States or in his activities around the hotel on the day of the assassination, or the previous day. He further advised that from his observations the suspect appeared to be alone and not in the company of any other individuals. He advised that he had not noted any suspicious activities during the activities in Los Angeles and that at no time had there been a

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concern for the Senator's life, although in the back of his mind he realized this type of thing could always happen. He advised there was never any radical changes in the plans or route except in the one instance described above where Senator KENNEDY decided to take the service elevator rather than the public elevator from the 5th floor.

He further advised that he is positive that he would not recognize the suspect again from his own personal recollection. He stated he did not observe the suspect shoot and never saw the gun in the hand of the suspect until he saw him reach for it and secure it from the counter following the shooting of Senator KENNEDY.

He advised he had no further recollection of the activities that might be of assistance in this investigation.

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Date: 6/14/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
(Priority)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES
FROM: SAC, SALT LAKE CITY (62-2694) (P)
RE: KENSALT

Re WFO teletype to the Bureau, 6/13/68.

Enclosed herewith are 9 copies of an FD-302
in connection with the interview of JOHN W. GALLIVAN,
JR., at Salt Lake City, Utah, on 6/14/68.

(2) - Los Angeles (Enc. 9)
(2) - Salt Lake City
JWC:srs
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*Kennedy Stop All
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[Signature]

Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____

Special Agent in Charge

TRUE COPY

Wed. Morn;
June 5, 1968

Dear Sir or Sirs;

I am enclosing photographs of a two men who are from Cuba the picture was taken during summer before 1952 these men came down to visit neighbor of mine at that time. I kept the pictures in album all this time I just thought it might help as they said they were from Los Angeles area but came over from Cuba and the short fellow was supposed to be a lightweight boxing Champion from Cuba what I thought was maybe it would help to look in this area boxing or wrestling in Los Angeles I can't remember their names but hope pictures might help I was living in Long Beach when pictures were taken.

/s/

Yours Sincerely;
Mrs. Mary Steinback
345 North Quince St.
Exeter California
93221

P. S:

My husband and I and I are both grief stricken over the attempt of assassination of on Senator Robert Kennedy and hope this information might help.

TRUE COPY

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June 13, 1968

Mrs. Mary Steinback
345 North Quince Street
Exeter, California 93221

Dear Mrs. Steinback:

I have received your letter dated June 5, 1968.

I appreciate your bringing your observations to my attention and assure you that all possible avenues are being explored in the investigation of the death of Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

Appropriate copies of the photographs that you forwarded have been made and the originals are being returned to you herewith.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Enclosures (2)

② - Los Angeles (Enclosures - 3)

Enclosed for Los Angeles for the completion of your file are a copy of Mrs. Steinback's letter and copies of the photographs she forwarded to the Bureau.

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Nolan

MISS HELEN D WARDE
24 EVERETT AVE.
NORWOOD, MASS.
02062

June 7, 1968

The F.B.I.,
Washington, D. C.

RE: In connection with the
Assassination of
Gentlemen: Sen. Robert F. Kennedy,

For what it may be worth for
possible investigation, while driving
on Route 128 North into Boston, a car
passed us with a lone woman driver, wear-
ing a "white dress with large black
polka dots" on same.

The registration of the car is

394,683
Mass.

Very truly yours,

Helen D. Warde
(Miss) Helen D. Warde

Phone: 762 - 0727

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June 13, 1968

Miss Helen D. Warde
24 Everett Avenue
Norwood, Massachusetts 02062

Dear Miss Warde:

I have received your letter dated June 7, 1968.

Thank you for furnishing your observations in connection with the assassination of Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

② Los Angeles (Enclosure)

Enclosed for Los Angeles is a copy of Miss Warde's letter.

Nolan, W. J. H.

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June 5, 1968

Dear Sir

I am writing this letter in reaction to the attempt on Sen. Robert F. Kennedy.

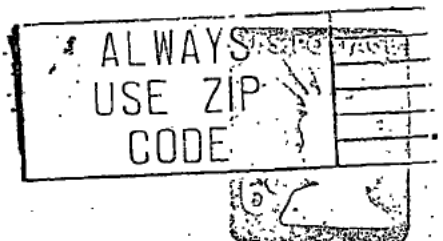
In October of 1964 I was incarcerated by the Federal Courts. I was sent to Los Angeles, California. While there an inmate by the name of Thomas was there for writing threatening letters to the late President John F. Kennedy. I personally heard him state on several occasions he would kill Robert Kennedy if he became president. I hope you consider this information seriously as I would not write if I didn't sense its need.

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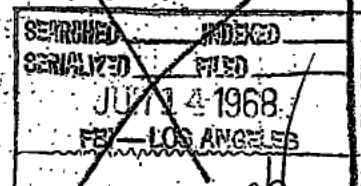
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Respectfully,
Lawrence J. Proteau

W. Gotsall
519 Princess St.
Alexandria, Va



To: Attorney General's Office
% Federal Bureau Invest.
Washington,
D.C.



TRUE COPY

June 5, 1968

Dear Sir

I am writing this letter in reaction to the attempt on Sen. Robert F Kennedy.

In October of 1964 I was incarcerated by the Federal Courts. I was sent to Lompoc California. While there an inmate by the name of Thomas was there for writing threatening letters to the late President John F. Kennedy. I personally heard him state on several occasions he would kill Robert Kennedy if he became president. I hope you consider this information seriously as I would not write if I didn't sense its need

Respectfully Yours

/s/

Maurice L. Croteau

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OUT OF PRINT BOOKS



SANTA MONICA BOOK BAZAAR

131 BROADWAY
SANTA MONICA, CALIF.

RUDY AND POLLY LACLAIR

GLADSTONE 1-2710

Federal Bureau of Investigation
Federal Bldg.
Los Angeles Calif.

Dear Sirs.

14 June 1968

May I begin with an introduction.
Joseph. H. Freiburger Lieut. U.S.A. (Ret)
Robert F. Kennedy, a personal friend.
Two days ago, a matter came to
my attention that may or may
not be pertinent to your investigation
into the assassination of
Robert F. Kennedy in that there
was an air of strangeness about
it. it may bear looking into.
As a hobby I collect books
while in Santa Monica I entered
the book store at 131 Broadway

(see attached card) I struck
up a conversation with the
proprietor, a rather lengthy
discussion of today's problems
with the younger generation.
(Noted a couple hippies in the
store, so the discussion included
these youngsters.) finally the
Robert F. Kennedy assassination
the proprietor impressed me as
being a fine person, and was
deeply grieved by Senator Kennedy's
death. on the counter I noted
three (3) Volumes of Henry Miller's
books, titled Sexus, Nexus, Plexus,
these in a slipcase. the price he
stated was \$15.⁰⁰/_{XX} and I purchased

same. asking if he had others by this author and other leading authors. to which he replied he did have more. a number from a library that he purchased a few days ago. had already been sold. he said it was a library of expensive tastes. I inquired who and what possible reason would ^{anyone} want to part with an expensive library of late books.

It was here that after hearing the following that I concluded this may be something to be looked into.

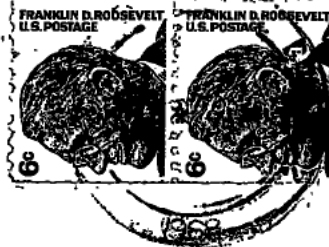
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The proprietor said a well
dressed beautiful young
lady. that he believed must
have been a movie star
offered to sell her library
of books. stating that she
was leaving immediately
on a trip around the world
with a first stop at Lisbon
Portugal. why he was told this
is open to question. he stated
this young lady appeared to
be from a wealthy family.
(yet disposed to pick up additional
money by selling of these books)
this all may very well be
a perfect innocently transaction.

yet. With there having been
a possibility of an accomplice
in the assassination, of similar
attributes. the coincidental
departure etc. may well be
worth checking out.

this is the total of what
I have learned. I have no
knowledge of specific times,
in these events concerning
purchase of the library. the
seller's departure date, except
from the conversation I gathered.
it was within the recent few
days.

yours Truly
Joseph H. Freiburger
Lcdr. U.S.N. (Ret)

Joseph G. Freiberg
4348 Lynd Avenue
Arcadia, California 91008



Officer In Charge
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Federal Bldg.
Los Angeles Calif.

June 12, 1968

26-41711
Mr. Maurice L. Croteau
519 Princess Street
Alexandria, Virginia 22314

Dear Sir:

Mr. Hoover has received your letter dated
June 5, 1968.

This Bureau appreciates your bringing this
matter to our attention in connection with the murder
of Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

Very truly yours,

Helen W. Gandy
Secretary

22 Los Angeles (Enclosures - 3)

Enclosed for Los Angeles are a Xerox copy of the
letter and envelope and a true copy of the letter of
Maurice L. Croteau dated 6/5/68. This is furnished for
the information of Los Angeles.

SA Tony Sherman
Secret Service advised
6/17/68. Xerox of letter sent to Sherman.
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1340 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles, California 90017
June 17, 1968

Mr. Guy H. Spaman
Special Agent in Charge
U. S. Secret Service
U. S. Treasury Department
P. O. Box 567
Los Angeles, California 90053

Attention: Special Agent Tony Sherman

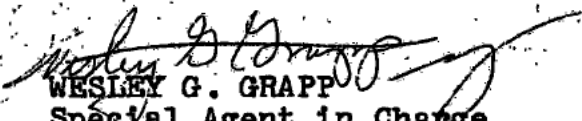
Dear Sir:

This will confirm a conversation held on June 17, 1968, between Special Vincent J. Horn, Jr., of our office and Special Agent Tony Sherman of your office concerning a letter written to the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D. C., by one Maurice L. Croteau.

A true copy of Croteau's letter is enclosed for your information, and you will note that in his letter he refers to an individual by the name of Thomas, not further described, who, he states, mentioned on several occasions that he would kill Robert Kennedy if he became President.

This information is being furnished your office for whatever action is deemed appropriate. No investigation in this matter is being conducted by the Los Angeles Office of the FBI.

Very truly yours,


WESLEY G. GRAPP
Special Agent in Charge

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1340 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles, California 90017
June 18, 1968

~~Mr. Joseph G. Freiburger~~
4348 Lynd Avenue
Arcadia, California 91008

Dear Mr. Freiburger:

Thank you for your recent letter.

Your interest in writing as you did is sincerely appreciated.

Very truly yours,

WESLEY G. GRAPP
Special Agent In Charge

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① Los Angeles (56-156)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/15/68

FROM : SA IRVIN B. WELLS, III

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memorandum of SA FRANCIS M. MULLEN, JR.
dated 6/11/68.

On 6/14/68, BILL CHANDLERS was located and interviewed by the writer and SA MYRON M. HITCH at CHANDLER's residence, 2827 Winters Avenue, East Los Angeles, (telephone 262-5479).

CHANDLER advised that he is an organizer for the United Farm Workers Union and stated that at present his residence also serves as his office.

CHANDLER advised that he attended Pasadena City College, the academic year 1964-1965, at which time he attempted to start a chapter of the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS). He related that during that time, he and several associates would often frequent the school cafeteria and usually went to one particular table. During that time many students would often stop and talk to him and his associates. He stated that on one occasion four Arab students stopped at the table. He stated that he believes this was the fall of 1965. CHANDLER was displayed a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN and advised that he believes that possibly SIRHAN was one of the Arab students. He stated; however, that if the individual was SIRHAN, he did not speak throughout the conversation, which lasted about 15 minutes. He stated that he does not believe that he has ever seen SIRHAN since that time and recalled that none of the Arab students appeared interested in the SDS, but rather were interested in telling about their country.

CHANDLER concluded by saying that he has no further knowledge concerning SIRHAN or any knowledge of the KENNEDY assassination, which might possibly be of value to the FBI in the current investigation.

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AIRTEL

TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re New York teletype to the Bureau dated 6/14/68.

Enclosed herewith for San Francisco is one copy each of New York airtel to the Bureau dated 6/13/68 and Bureau airtel to Los Angeles dated 6/12/68.

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1- New York (44-1640)

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Date: June 14, 1968

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-357)
 FROM: SAC, DENVER (62-2416)(P)
 RE: KENSALT
 INFORMATION CONCERNING

On 6/13/68 Attorney DAN EDWARDS, firm of Love, Cole, and Murphy, Colorado Springs, Colorado, advised SA RANSOM A. WHITTLE, Colorado Springs Resident Agency, that he was defending one EDWARD POLE and intended pleading POLE guilty to a forgery charge on that date. He stated POLE had indicated to him that he had information affecting the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

On 6/14/68 ID Officer TOM BUTLER, Colorado Springs Police Department, advised that EDWARD HUGH POLE, Colorado Springs Police Department number 20937, had FBI number 554068D, and was incarcerated Lewisburg Penitentiary, Lewisburg Y-33186-NE.

POLE was interviewed by Bureau Agents at El Paso County Jail, Colorado Springs, 6/14/68. POLE at first did not desire to discuss his information in view of fact he claimed it involved La Cosa Nostra and he feared for his life. He eventually furnished information stating that around Memorial Day, 1967, during breakfast meal at dining hall, Lewisburg Penitentiary, he was sitting at table next to JAMES HOFFA and overheard HOFFA make statement to his table companions, one described as (FNU) DeJOSEPH, WMA, early 40's, Italian descent, 5'10" tall, heavy build, heavy dark beard even after shaving, and second individual described as name unknown, Italian descent

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with same height and build as JAMES HOFFA, 55-58 years of age, and who used to run at the penitentiary track with HOFFA. Conversation overheard was "I have a contract out on KENNEDY and if he ever gets in the primaries or ever gets elected, the contract will be fulfilled within 6 months."

Witnesses to this conversation at POLE's table were JAMES JOSEPH O'BRIEN, transferred from Lewisburg Penitentiary in early June, 1967, to Federal Penitentiary in Atlanta, Georgia; and name unknown, a bank robber who had robbed a bank at Cleveland, Ohio, had been in Lewisburg for 7 years, subsequently paroled, and after 2 years was back at Lewisburg for parole violation. This individual was originally from St. Louis and may currently be on parole to that city. He was described as a white male American, in his early 30's, 5'8" tall, slender build, black hair, and in July, 1967, was assigned to D cellblock.

Two weeks after this conversation, POLE was at clothing store and just prior to store being opened, HOFFA was at the gate of the store, waiting to get in. POLE asked HOFFA how he felt about KENNEDY and HOFFA began a tirade concerning KENNEDY's wire-tapping tactics and on this occasion, allegedly stated to POLE, "Right now KENNEDY's in no danger; but if he gets into a primary or gets elected, I won't say how or when, but he'll get knocked off." POLE stated there were no witnesses to this statement.

FD-302s will be promptly furnished Atlanta, Philadelphia, St. Louis, and Los Angeles.

Offices receiving this communication except Los Angeles conduct logical investigation to verify above conversations upon receipt of FD-302, UACB. PROTECT POLE's IDENTITY.

FBI

Date: 6/17/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL _____
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TO: SAC, JACKSONVILLE (44-793)
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: LOS ANGELES

Re Jacksonville airtel to Los Angeles 6/8/68.

Enclosed to the Jacksonville and New York Offices are one photograph each of MOHAMMED IBRAHIM. Also enclosed to New York is one copy of re communication.

A review of the Los Angeles Office indices reveals MOHAMMED IBRAHIM became known to this office on 11/24/64 when one LORRAINE WALTERS telephonically advised she had been dating IBRAHIM for about eight months and that he, IBRAHIM, was now moving from the area and had refused to furnish her a forwarding address.

WALTERS further stated IBRAHIM had installed a short wave radio and transmitter in his residence and claims to be able to contact persons in foreign countries. He also made some statements to WALTERS that he was engaged in working for a foreign power.

Investigation by the Los Angeles Office revealed IBRAHIM did not have any short wave radio set in his residence and it was determined the original allegation from Miss WALTERS was based on the fact that subject was a married man who had been dating her and was attempting to break off their relationship.

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2 - New York (Enc. 2)
2 - Los Angeles

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Special Agent in Charge

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Records of the LAPD, LASO, and the Retail Merchants Credit Association were negative regarding MOHAMMED IBRAHIM.

Jacksonville at Bunnell, Florida, will exhibit photograph of MOHAMMED IBRAHIM to Florida Highway Patrol Trooper G. NEELY and determine if photograph is identical to individual he issued speeding citation on 6/7/68. (it should be noted photograph was taken approximately 1961)

Will advise New York Division if photograph is identical to person issued speeding citation by trooper NEELY.

New York at New York City will interview MOHAMMED IBRAHIM, employed Ibeck Engineers, New York City, home address 156 Allen Street, New York City, regarding all information, times, dates, places as to when IBRAHIM was acquainted with SIRHAN SIRHAN.

Will also interview regarding his knowledge of SIRHAN's father and all places of residence and all information pertaining to SIRHAN's father.

6/14/68

AIRTEL

AIRMAIL

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

ReButelephone call to San Francisco this date.

Re: The Rosicrucian Order (AMORC), San Jose, Calif.

On 6/14/68, CECIL A. POOLE, Vice-President and Supreme Treasurer, AMORC, Rosicrucian Park, San Jose, Calif., advised that the Rosicrucian Fraternity, Quakertown, Pennsylvania, is not part of the Rosicrucian Order. He further noted that there are at least four other organizations in existence that use the word Rosicrucian in the name of the organization.

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R. Wimmer

June 12, 1968

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~~Mr. Roger Lewis~~
Route 1
Round Hill, Virginia 22141

Dear Mr. Lewis:

In reply to your letter of June 10, 1968, we wish to advise that Sirhan Sirhan is not registered with the California Selective Service System.

Very truly yours,

~~CARLOS C. OGDEN~~
State Director

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Route 1
Round Hill, Virginia 22141

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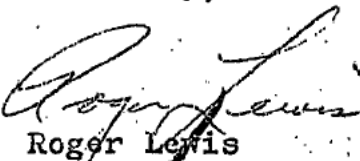
~~Mr. Carlos C. Ogden~~
State Director
Selective Service
Federal Building
805 "L" Street
Sacramento, California 95814

Dear Mr. Ogden:

I am interested in the problem of determining whether or not it is possible to improve the present system of alien registration for selective service. At the present time there is apparently no machinery by which the Selective Service, Immigration and Naturalization and the Department of Justice generally cooperate in ascertaining whether or not non-citizens register for the draft.

Can you please tell me whether Sirhan Sirhan, being held as suspect in the Senator Kennedy slaying, is registered under selective service and, if so, what is his registration.

Sincerely,


Roger Lewis

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APPEAL BOARD SUMMARY

- REGISTRANT SIRHAN, ADEL "MEN" SS NO. [REDACTED]
(Last) (First) (Middle)
- EDUCATION: ELEM. 7 YRS. HIGH SCHOOL YRS. COLLEGE YRS. MAJOR
- TRADE OR VOC. SCHOOLS YRS. COURSES
- LB CLASSIFICATIONS & DATES See reverse side
- APPEAL TAKEN BY Registrant GROUNDS Dependency-Hardship
- DEFERMENT REQUEST FILED DATE FILED BY WHOM
Yes/No
- PRESENT EMPLOYER B & L Molding Supply Co. So. Pasadena, California
- BUSINESS EMPLOYER ENGAGED IN
- DATE OF EMPLOYMENT June 1957 JOB TITLE Operate Rip Saw
- DUTIES Woodwork
- AMT. OF REGISTRANT'S WAGES \$92.00 PREVIOUS OCCUPATIONAL EXPERIENCE:

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- SINGLE Yes MARRIED DIVORCED NO. OF CHILDREN
- LIVES WITH WIFE (Yes/No) LIVES WITH CHILDREN (Yes/No)
- DATE OF MARRIAGE
- NO. PERSONS DEPENDENT UPON REGISTRANT FOR SUPPORT 3 RELATIONSHIP Mother and two brothers-
- AMOUNT CONTRIBUTED BY REGISTRANT \$ PER (Week-Month-Year)
Partial support to mother and full support to
- AMT. RECEIVED BY DEPENDENT FROM OTHER SOURCES \$ PER (Wk/Mo/Yr) brothers.

CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTOR

- CLASSIFICATION CLAIMED 1959
- OBJECTS TO SERVICE OF ANY KIND OBJECTS TO COMBATANT SERVICE ONLY
- SSS FORM 150 FILED DEPT. OF JUSTICE RECOMMENDATION: CLASS
Yes/No

APPEAL PANEL NO. 3 ACTION 1-A VOTE 3-0 DATE 11-19-59

(SEE REVERSE SIDE)

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Date: 6/17/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (62-76)

KENSALT

Re Los Angeles telephone call to Sacramento 6/17/68.

Enclosed for the Los Angeles Division is one copy
each of the following:

1. Appeal Board Summary for ADEL SIRHAN,
Selective Service No. [REDACTED]
2. Letter to Mr. CARLOS C. OGDEN dated
6/10/68, from ROGER LEWIS, Route 1,
Round Hill, Virginia.
3. Letter to Mr. ROGER LEWIS from CARLOS C.
OGDEN dated 6/12/68.

The above enclosures were furnished by Mrs. SHIRLEY
PAXTON, Clerk, State Selective Service Headquarters, Sacramento.Mrs. PAXTON further advised that she could locate no
record of registration for the following individuals:SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN
DOB: 3/19/44, Jerusalem

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~~SAIDALLAH BISHARA SALAMEH SIRHAN~~

~~DOB: 1/27/30, Jerusalem~~

~~MUNITZ BISHARA SALAMEH SIRHAN~~

~~DOB: 7/15/47, Jerusalem~~

Mrs. PAXTON advised that the below listed individuals were registered:

~~SHARIEF BISHARA SIRHAN~~

~~Selective Service No. [REDACTED]~~

~~DOB: 6/7/53, Jerusalem~~

~~ADEL SIRHAN~~

~~Selective Service No. [REDACTED]~~

~~DOB: 10/10/38, Jerusalem~~

Mrs. PAXTON advised that Local Board #91 is the Pasadena Local Board located at 2091 East Colorado Boulevard, Pasadena, California.

INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM THE FILES OF THE SELECTIVE SERVICE BOARD IS CONFIDENTIAL AND SHOULD BE SUITABLY PARAPHRASED IF USED IN COMMUNICATIONS GOING OUTSIDE THE BUREAU.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/18/68

FROM : SA WILLIAM G. ATHERTON

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re: Memo of SA FRANCIS M. MULLEN, JR. to SAC, dated 6/8/68

Referenced memo reflects that ISADORE BENJAMIN advised that SIRHAN SIRHAN was treated by DR. ELRAIRO and DR. JULIES at the Muir Building.

Investigation reflects that there are no such named doctors at above building.

ISADORE BENJAMIN, was recontacted at his place of employment, Limelight Liquors, 1649 North La Brea, Los Angeles, California, on June 17, 1968 and advised that he had obtained information from a security guard at the Muir Building, 7080 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, Calif. that DR. BITSHAR (Phonetic) and DR. JACQUES, who both have offices at the Muir Building, had treated SIRHAN SIRHAN.

BENJAMIN stated that he had heard the guard mention this information while conversing with another individual. He further advised that the guard is unknown to him by name.

The below listed individuals advised on the dates indicated that SIRHAN SIRHAN was never treated by them and is unknown to them except as a result of the news media concerning the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY:

~~KENNETH D. JACQUES, M.D., Suite 704, Muir Bldg., on June 17, 1968~~

~~EMILE H. ELSHARAT, M.D., Suite 816, Muir Bldg., on June 17, 1968~~

~~SABRI M. EL FARRA, M.D., Suite 804, Muir Bldg., on June 18, 1968~~

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CLARENCE L. HALSOR,
134 N. HELIOTROPE AVE.,
MONROVIA, CALIF. 91016

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Dept. of Justice
261 E. Colorado
Pasadena, Calif.

16 June 1968

Gentlemen,

My wife, an eleven year old son and myself, while firing at the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 9 April 1968, noticed a clean cut dark complected fellow resembling Sirhan Bishara Sirhan.

My spouse had taken a vacation of the week including the date mentioned.

After firing at the rifle range, we changed over to the pistol range. At my right, on the firing range ^(line) was the slightly built man, firing a small bore gun. He was dressed in a suit but the coat was cut more for sportswear. I don't recall for sure, but I believe it had a one half belt, making up the back of the coat of the same material. I would judge his weight at about 135 lbs.

The lady was of a slightly heavier build, but not much. She was a little shorter than him in height.

Her skin was lighter than his, much

on the olive side. ^{III} I don't recall her face but even though her hair was dark, it wasn't quite as dark as his. She was about 20 and well built.

I did not strike up a conversation with them to see how they were shooting, because they both talked a foreign language.

I called this to my wife's attention and we finally came to a conclusion that they may be Cubans.

Both of them were firing rapid fire with their small bore gun or guns. It seems to me that they were firing both revolver and automatic. The reason I know they were small bore, is that I was firing a 38 police special which sounded like a cannon over their pops. This may not be of any help to you but if a lady is involved, the description I have given you may be of some help, providing you can verify from some other source, the ladies physical description.

I was always ^{III}curious about these two persons, at the pistol range because while believing them to be Cubans, I didn't recognize their language as Spanish, even though I know a few words.

Please disregard this letter if you find it of no help, as I wouldn't want you to waste time, if your already accumulated evidence points to some other lady.

I could not identify these people immediately, as it is taxing my memory at this time, to think back to April 9, 1968.

The only thing that I can establish here is that they were very close to each other and both spoke the same foreign language. It is also possible that they also knew English but did not choose to speak it, at the time. Sorry, but I can add nothing further.

Sincerely,

Clarence L. Halsey
134 North Heliotrope Ave
Monrovia, Calif. 91016

P. S. It isn't uncommon to see both sexes firing on the range so I do not wish to state that a lady firing a gun, is uncommon.

My wife can out shoot me with a repeater or auto rifle.

My son also shoots well. I prefer shooting, over bowling. It is a competitive clean sport.

I am a Sergeant of Security Guards, employed with Shield Security, L.A. However, I am assigned to Conroe Corp. 1600, 1700 and 1724 South Mountain Ave. Duarte, Calif 91010.

I do my shooting at San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Rd. Duarte. Phone 358-9906.

My residence phone number is 357-3898. Please see if you can verify what I have told you at the Gun Club. The date was 9 April 1968, on a Tuesday.

Thankyou,
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June 18, 1968

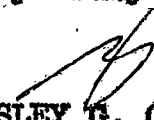
Mr. Clarence L. Halsor
134 North Heliotrope Avenue
Monrovia, California 91016

Dear Mr. Halsor:

Your recent letter which you addressed to the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Pasadena, California, was referred to this office for acknowledgement.

Thank you for writing as you did. Your interest in furnishing this information to the Federal Bureau of Investigation is sincerely appreciated.

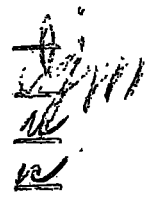
Very truly yours,


WESLEY G. GRAPP
Special Agent in Charge

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Date: 6/17/68

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO
 FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
 RE: KENSAIT

On 6/7/68, JOHN FAHEY, a chemical solvent and cleaning salesman, came to the Los Angeles Office as a complainant, and stated he had met a woman named GILDERDINE OPPENHEIMER (phonetic) in the coffee shop of the Ambassador Hotel on 6/4/68. She struck up a conversation with him, told him she was in trouble and wanted to talk to someone she could trust. FAHEY, who gave the appearance of being rational, talked to the woman, who asked if she could accompany him on a business trip he had planned for the day to Oxnard and Ventura, California. FAHEY agreed. In the course of the day, the woman told him she was being followed and watched, which FAHEY believed as a car followed them for a time. She stated Senator KENNEDY was "no good", and if complainant attended the "winning celebration" that night, he would be surprised, because "they are going to get him". She would not say who was going to be "gotten," stating she did not want him to be involved.

The woman, who appeared foreign, stated she had just arrived in Los Angeles three days before from Eilat, Beirut, and Cairo. She stated she was not staying the hotel and would

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not give her address. FAHEY finally left the woman at the Ambassador Hotel at 7:30 p.m. on 6/4/68. FAHEY asked that his identity be concealed, as he did not want his wife to know. He furnished the following description of GILDERDINE OPPENHEIMER (phonetic) as follows:

Sex	Female
Race	Caucasian, appeared to be Arabic with fine features
Age	27 to 28
Height	5'8"
Hair	Dirty blond, well kept; hair long and pulled down in ponytail on one side
Complexion	Fair
Eyes	Dark
Weight	Unknown
Build	Very good, attractive

Investigation to date has failed to substantiate statements made by FAHEY.

FAHEY stated he had had the following past employments:

~~Fields Jewelers on Market Street in San Francisco, 1952 to 1962, and for this company in Oakland, California, as a salesman until they went out of business.~~

~~Hot Shoppes, Inc., Washington, D. C., as Assistant Manager, 1962 to 1964. He stated the offices of this company are on River Road in Bethesda, Maryland.~~

~~Bank of America, Auto Center Branch, 1 South Van Ness Avenue, from 1964 until early 1966. His immediate supervisor was AL SOBINI (telephone 622-4464).~~

~~Schick Electric Razor Company, on Market Street, San Francisco, from early 1966 until November, 1967, name of superior not recalled.~~

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AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA: Will verify FAHEY's past employments with Bank of America and Schick Razor Company, determine reasons for termination, and discreetly obtain general opinion of former employers concerning FAHEY. Will attempt to verify his employment with Fields Jewelers, now out of business.

WASHINGTON FIELD

AT BETHESDA, MARYLAND: Will verify FAHEY's past employment with the Hot Shoppes, reason for termination, and discreetly obtain general opinion of former employers concerning FAHEY.

AT WASHINGTON, D. C.: Will cause a check of Passport Records, U. S. Department of State, in the name of GILDERDINE OPPENHEIMER (phonetic) for a possible passport in that name, while recognizing that OPPENHEIMER is probably a foreign national. If passport is located, obtain photograph and submit to Los Angeles.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SA THEODORE E. CHILDRESS

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re FD-71, 6/8/68, entitled, "MIKE ABBASS".

Referenced communication contains a complaint from ILENE BERNHOLZ, 1231 S. Bedford, Los Angeles regarding a conversation which she had with the wife of MIKE ABBASS two or three months ago. ABBASS' wife, YOLANDA, who operates the Yolandas Domestic Agency, Los Angeles (tel. 624-9381) told BERNHOLZ that he was very anti-KENNEDY and that he and others from Egypt hold secret meetings each week to collect and send money to their native country. According to YOLLANDA, these individuals discuss their dislike for the US, its policies and its leaders at these meetings. BERNHOLZ advised that because of the above, since MIKE has been arrested in Los Angeles for assault and due to the assassination of Senator KENNEDY, she felt she should furnish this information to the FBI.

MIKE ABBAS is the subject of Los Angeles file 134-3268. He voluntarily contacted the FBI in April, 1968 and subsequently advised that he is starting an international business organization in the Middle East, primarily in the Crucial States, Yehmen and South Yehmen. He advised he will be in a position to furnish valuable information regarding the governments of the mid-eastern countries and offered his assistance in this regard. He will receive his US Citizenship within the next few months and stated he feels it is his patriotic duty to offer his assistance to the intelligence agencies of the US. He claims to be wealthy, is a graduate of USC (Mechanical Engineering) and claims to have contacts with numerous influential Americans of Arabic descent and with the leaders of various Arabic countries. He stated he has had meetings with many businessmen, some of Arabic descent, over the past few years in planning his venture in the middle east. He stated he is divorced and that his wife,

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YOLANDA, has ~~SIRHAN~~ caused him a great deal of personal grief since the divorce and during the marriage. He requested that the FBI not interview his wife as he does not want her to know of his association with the FBI.

Background investigation of ~~THE~~ ABBAS has determined that he is the sole owner of the M.B. Corporation, 163 S. Western Avenue. He was arrested by the Los Angeles Police Department on 2/10/65 for assault when YOLANDA's brother attempted to throw him out of YOLANDA's office and ABBAS struck YOLANDA's brother with an ashtray. The charge was dismissed as two ~~WIT~~ witnesses stated YOLANDA's brother started the ~~XX~~ altercation and ABBAS was defending himself.

On 6/7/68, ABBAS advised that he is not acquainted with SIRHAN SIRHAN or any of the members of SIRHAN's family. He stated he is certain that no Jordanian nationality group would be so stupid as to plot an assassination of an American Senator and he personally feels a deep sense of regret that such a thing has happened.

In view of the above, it is felt that the statements made by YOLANDA ABBAS regarding MIKE ABBAS are based on marital difficulties and there does not appear to be any connection between MIKE ABBAS and SIRHAN SIRHAN. It is therefore recommended that no further investigation be conducted regarding ABBAS in this matter.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
June 11, 1968

RE: JACK E. HARRISON

On June 7, 1968, an individual giving his name as Joe Harrison, employed by Knott's Rambler Automobile Agency, Tulsa, Oklahoma, contacted the Tulsa Resident Agency of the FBI, and stated a customer named Mac Spadden, an employee of Sinclair Oil, left a car in that agency for repair. Harrison claimed that during the conversation, Mac Spadden said he just returned from California, that he knew the shooting was going to happen, and that one Sirhan brother was supposed to "get" Kennedy and the other was supposed to "get" Mc Carthy.

Harrison also telephonically contacted Kennedy Headquarters, Tulsa, Oklahoma, relating the same information to then except giving Mac Spadden's address as 5654 59th Street, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

A check at Muskogee revealed address given to be fictitious.

Sinclair Oil Company's employees checked by the FBI, and it was found that the only employee at Sinclair named Mac Spadden was Larry Mc Spadden who was interviewed and did not fit the description given by Harrison on the phone, does not possess a Rambler, and knows nothing of reported conversation.

A check of records at Knott's Rambler showed one R.R. Mc Fadden, 4126 South Birmingham Place, Tulsa, left a car for air conditioning repair on June 6, 1968. Mc Fadden is a retired merchandise manager from Sears and a substantial appearing individual. Mc Fadden was interviewed by the FBI and advised he left his car at Knott's Rambler, had a conversation with someone regarding repairs and was perturbed over having the car there on three previous occasions, but said he had no conversation regarding the assassination of Senator Robert Kennedy.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of any kind. It is the property of the FBI, and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

Re: Jack E. Harrison

The service manager at Knott's Rambler said Harrison worked from June 3, 1968 to June 6, 1968 when he left saying he had to see a lawyer regarding family problems and has not returned.

Mrs. June Canary contacted the Tulsa Resident Agency of the FBI and advised she was the ex-wife of Harrison, and said his correct name was Jack E. Harrison. She stated there would be absolutely no merit to anything Harrison said. She said he was an alcoholic and has been in a mental hospital at Vinita, Oklahoma on two occasions within the last two years for alcoholism. She said she saw him June 6, 1968 when he was drinking excessively and did not know his whereabouts as of June 7, 1968.

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AIRMAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109119)
FROM: SAC OKLAHOMA CITY (62-2858) (P)

JACK E. HARRISON, aka *WUG 247*
+ *Ref* Joe Harrison *WUG 2*
Subj MISC - INFORMATION CONCERNING
(TROPUS) *56-156-A-66*

Re Oklahoma City teletype to Director and Los Angeles 6/7/68 entitled KENSALT.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of a self-explanatory letterhead memorandum with two copies of an FD-376 concerning captioned individual.

Enclosed for Los Angeles is one copy of a letterhead memorandum and FD-376 for dissemination to Secret Service, Los Angeles, with letterhead memorandum attached.

For the information of the Bureau, PATRICK H. STEELE, Special Agent in Charge, Secret Service, Oklahoma, was telephonically advised of the information concerning this matter. Mr. STEELE was also advised that the reason this information was being furnished was specifically because of the obvious mental derangement of HARRISON as well as the forthcoming Republican Governors Conference June 13, 1968.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SA IRVIN B. WELLS

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Complaint Form of IC RICHARD T. VOYLES
dated 6/13/68 (Re HARRY BAUM).

On 6/16/68, HARRY BAUM, 238 South Alexandria, Apartment 7, Los Angeles, (383-2684), advised that he attended a political rally at the Ambassador Hotel on Sunday night, June 2, 1968. BAUM explained that he was "in the main ballroom" which was filled to a capacity crowd and noted that he was standing directly in front of the stage. He related that he moved back in order to allow Senator KENNEDY and singer, ANDY WILLIAMS to get on the stage.

BAUM explained that while he was standing in the crowd waiting the arrival of the Senator he observed a white female in a polka dot dress standing approximately ten feet from him. He stated that during the time the Senator spoke this woman sat beside him on the stage. BAUM noted that inasmuch as efforts have been made to locate a white female who wore a polka dot dress on the night of the assassination, he felt he should come forward with this information and furnished the following physical description:

Sex
Race
Age
Height
Build
Hair

Female
White
Early thirties
5'10-11"
Slender
Could only describe as
light in color

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Wore white dress with black polka dots; described dress as not tight and not loose; 3/4" length sleeves; length-slightly below knees, not stylish or low cut.

BAUM was unable to furnish specific details concerning the type of polka dots on the above dress and pointed out that inasmuch as he did not take particular note of the woman at the time, he is unable to determine whether or not she was accompanied by any other persons. He noted that when the rally concluded, he did not see this woman again and related that there were numerous people in his area surrounding the stage.

In view of the above information which is considered nonspecific in nature, no further lead is being set forth as a result of the interview with BAUM.